

WEATHER—Generally fair Wednesday and Thursday; slightly warmer.

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# HEAVY RAIN STORM SWEEPS STATE

## Xenian Reported Missing; Launch Search

### BOOKKEEPER WALKS FROM OFFICE WHILE STORM SWEEPS CITY

Will Employ Radio In  
Search—Missing Man  
Took Auto

Police are searching for Clarence Stephenson, 40, Fairground Road, head bookkeeper for The Eavey Co., wholesale grocers, Detroit and Third Sts., missing for the last twenty-four hours.

Stephenson walked out of the company's office at 1:30 p. m. Tuesday when a severe rain and electrical storm was at its height and has not been seen since.

His absence was first noticed by his wife who missed him when he failed to return at the regular hour for the evening meal. Hurried inquiries were without success and she notified police.

His Dodge touring car is also missing. He drove to work in the machine and the supposition is that, affected in some way mentally by the storm, he walked from the office, entered his car and drove away.

Police were having cards bearing his description and that of his auto printed Wednesday to send to nearby cities in an effort to broaden the scope of search. It is probable his description may also be broadcast from a Cincinnati radio station.

Stephenson, it is learned, was a man of good habits, having a reserved, quiet nature, never had trouble and was considered a valued employee. He has been connected with Eavey Co. for the past three or four years, coming to Xenia from Indiana.

W. R. Harner, official of the company, is taking an active part in the search. Working on the assumption Stephenson had possibly returned to the home of his mother in Portland, Ind., Mr. Harner communicated with his mother but learned her son had not gone there.

Stephenson is described as being of medium height, weighing about 148 pounds, with dark hair and eyes. When last seen he wore a dark blue suit with a fine white pin stripe, gray felt hat and tan shoes.

The Dodge touring car also missing bears license number 161-661 and engine number 963,033. It is a 1923 model. His books showed no discrepancies.

### BOARD TURNS DOWN SUPERVISION PLEA

Consideration of the employment of an assistant county school superintendent was given by Greene County Board of Education members, Tuesday, among the important matters brought up at the meeting in offices of Superintendent H. C. Aultman.

C. E. Bone, representing Xenia Twp. Board of Education, made the request that the supervision, which has been in charge of the assistant county superintendent, be continued as before.

After lengthy conference with Mr. Bone a motion prevailed by unanimous vote, that the present county superintendent, Mr. Aultman, be instructed to give such time to supervision in Xenia Twp., as may be deemed necessary and advisable by the county board and to any other township requesting such supervision. Should the demand for supervision in the several remaining townships be such as to require an assistant county superintendent, the board will then make provision. Otherwise they will not, it was decided.

It will be recalled that all townships now, except Xenia Twp. and Silvercreek Twp., have their own local superintendent and the matter will no doubt be deferred until a majority of these should ask for an extra superintendent, since the salary for the same must be levied on all townships alike.

### CANDIDATE BUSY

COLUMBUS, O., July 7.—Miss Florence E. Allen, Cleveland, associate justice of the Ohio Supreme Court, is going to be kept busy during the five weeks remaining before the primary election, in her campaign for the Democratic nomination for U. S. Senator.

Miss Allen already has fifteen speaking engagements for this month.

### SEEK RE-ELECTION

COLUMBUS, July 7.—Thirteen of the thirty-five members of the present Ohio Senate are not seeking re-election, according to the roster of candidates prepared by the Senate Clerk. Those retiring voluntarily include eleven Republicans and two Democrats who comprised the minority delegation.

## CHILD DROWNS IN CISTERNS

Mussolini and King Study Farm Problems



Premier Mussolini (centre) and King Victor Emanuel (right) visited Italian farmers to keep in touch with agricultural conditions.

### ARRESTS RESULT IN DISCOVERY OF LOST GIRLS IN CHICAGO

Fake Beauty Contest  
Agency Unearthed  
By Police

CHICAGO, July 7.—Three white men and two negroes now are accused in statements of thirty-seven white girls and young women who were lured to a hotel by a beauty contest advertisement. In the course of preparation for their work the girls learned it was required that they be examined by the two negroes as to their physical fitness. Authorities believe they have struck a trail in the search for many girls reported missing in recent months.

More than 300 names of girls with addresses and telephone numbers were found when the room at the hotel was raided. Detectives found several photographs of girls who had posed for the negroes, Harris Holmes, 39 years old and Walter Crawford, 24.

The white men booked by police are Vernon Ondell, 27, draftsman, who says he sought a "side line" with money in it; Joe H. Williams, 25, street car conductor, whose contributions to the enterprise, it is alleged, entitled him to its Presidency, and a man named Briggs, who has not been apprehended.

Ondell says Williams and Briggs came to him, according to police, and collected \$47 toward the success of the Admiration Products Company adventure, with beauty contests as a side issue. He was made manager, it is said, while Williams, who contributed \$60 was made President.

Two girls who went to the hotel in answer to the advertisement said they were first required to pay \$3 for dancing lessons. When they declined drinks they were loaded into a car, taken to a point near their homes and put out. Their parents then notified police and the raid followed.

### MISSING MAN FOUND HANGED IN DRESS

CHICAGO, July 7.—The body of George Dauphin, 51 years old, married, who had been missing for three weeks, was found today hanging in the carpenter shop of his brother. The shop had not been visited during that time, because the brother had no work there, odor causing the finding today.

A mysterious angle of the hanging is that Dauphin's body was dressed in woman's clothing, even to wig, suede shoes and form reducing appliances. Due to the long time between death and finding the body was almost unrecognizable.

Authorities are investigating on the theory that it may be a case of murder instead of self-destruction. The brothers and widow are unable to give any explanation of the mysterious death and the grotesque garb.

### ROBBERS BIND MEN AND BLOW UP SAFE

PERTH AMBOY, N. J., July 7.—Ten robbers this morning invaded the plant of Castle Ice Cream Company on the outskirts of the town and overpowered the six employees on duty.

The men were bound and placed in a rear room, while the robbers blew open the office safe. Between \$20,000 and \$30,000 was taken.

The robbers escaped. Later on one of the victims managed to loosen his bonds and notify police.

### TELEPHONE LINES SUFFER WHEN SEVERE STORM STRIKES XENIA

Service Interrupted When Lightning Burns Out  
Cable—Toll Lines Cut Off—Darkness  
Accompanies Rain

For thirty minutes Xenia and vicinity experienced probably the most severe electrical and rain storm of the season Tuesday afternoon, although slight damage was reported.

Darkness of night prevailed with accompanying racing north wind and swirling rain which sent the temperature tumbling nearly twenty degrees in half an hour.

When the storm had subsided it was found the Ohio Bell Telephone Co. had suffered the heaviest damage. According to H. W. Cleaver, commercial manager, telephone lines were the greatest sufferers.

Long distance service from

### PRESIDENT HAPPY ON VACATION TRIP

ABOARD PRESIDENT'S TRAIN  
EN ROUTE TO SUMMER  
WHITE HOUSE, July 7.—Speeding on the way to White Pine in the Adirondacks, the executive party is expected to arrive at Gabrielle, N. Y., today whence it will continue by motor.

A brand new observation car, the latest in railway transportation, carries the President and Mrs. Coolidge.

It is provided with four sleeping compartments and fitted with every possible comfort. Other cars of the speeding train carry the regular complement of attaches and servants. A severe thunderstorm beat on the train as it sped through southern Pennsylvania last night, but the President was in high spirits, breaking his usual reserve to chat at dinner—which he seldom does—and later watching a motion picture in the presidential car.

### BLAME ALLIGATOR FOR SENSATION

ATHENS, O., July 7.—When a three foot alligator ran across the road in front of a local motorist a mild sensation resulted.

A search has not uncovered the reptile, but it is known that two years ago a baby gator escaped from a local home.

BEER FLOWS HERE

LOGAN, O., July 7.—The hillsides about Jobs, a mining camp near here, literally ran with foaming beer after a visit of Sheriff W. P. Shaw and a posse. The officers found 800 quarts of beer in old coal mines and also located buried jugs of whiskey.

Six hundred and twenty men have qualified for the posts left vacant by striking motormen and switchmen and the company is training 175 more non-union men, 125 of whom arrived from western cities last night.

BOSTON, July 7.—Between 400 and 500 persons in motion picture theater here were thrown into a panic today when a huge slab of plastering fell from the ceiling into the orchestra pit. More than a score of women fainted in the stampede for the doors. Others were jostled and bruised.

### PANIC CAUSED

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., July 7.—Earl Smith, two years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Smith, of Indianapolis, died today after eating fireworks Monday. The fireworks was of the type known as "split shells" said to contain phosphorus. Dr. Paul F. Robinson, county coroner said that this type of explosive is illegal and that he would begin an investigation.

EATS FIREWORKS

CLEVELAND, O., July 7.—Brookside Park Zoo was presented with an unusual owl. Paul Whipple, of Conneaut, calls him "One-Round Who."

Paul captured him as One-Round

was making off with the remains of a pampered pussy. It was a bitter battle. The owl conquered the cat and had Whipple on the ropes.

Whipple nearly lost three fingers and a knee cap when he seized old One-Round after the fight.

### SEARCH FOR KITTEN LEADS YOUTH UNDER PORCH OF DWELLING

Young Son Of R. O. T. C.  
Head At Wilberforce  
Is Victim

Hilliard Whitman Green, five-year-old son of Colonel John E. Green, commander of the Reserve Officers Training Corps at Wilberforce University, was drowned in a cistern underneath the rear porch at his home when he crawled through a hole in the lattice work in search of his pet kitten at 7 o'clock Tuesday night.

The body was found in five feet of water. Drs. Paul D. Espy and W. H. Finley, Xenia, worked for an hour over the boy to bring back life by both natural and artificial means, but all efforts to revive him failed. Physicians believe he had been dead for at least three-quarters of an hour when found.

The child had been playing with his eight-year-old brother in the yard at his home. His absence was first noticed by his father, who has previously cautioned the children to remain in the yard and play because of the danger of passing automobiles.

Colonel Green searched the entire neighborhood without avail and finally questioned the lad's older brother, John Jr., who said he had crawled through the lattices to find his kitten.

A piece of cheese cloth had been stretched across the open cistern. In view of this fact and because of darkness under the porch, it is the theory he crawled upon the cloth which gave away, precipitating him into the water.

Neighbors joined in the search and "Sap" Lane, Wilberforce, lowered himself into the cistern and removed the body.

The child is survived by his parents and one brother John E. Green, Jr.

Funeral services will be held at the residence Thursday at 2:30 p. m., fast time with interment in Tarbox Cemetery.

### POLICE SEEK PAIR WHO OUT RACED COPS

A short but spirited chase on the Wilmington Pike in which two alleged bootleggers in an auto were pursued by Patrolmen Peter Shagin and Ed Craig on a motorcycle ended abruptly when police abandoned the pursuit after losing the trail early Tuesday evening.

Police continued their search Wednesday.

Two men identified by the names of Puckett and Melvin, Xenia, are the objects of the search. The pair fled at the approach of the officers in an auto, throwing out two jugs containing liquor.

The liquor was confiscated. The fugitives escaped in a lane leading from Jasper Ave., to Columbus St.

### SHERIFF STILL ON KIDNAPPING PROBE

SANTIAGO, Chile, July 7.—Chile to Argentine transportation is blocked by the greatest snowstorm in twenty years. Hundreds of commercial travelers and others are detained at Los Andes and Mendoza, while rotary plows on both sides are grinding through the Cordillera.

Condition of Miss Fitzgerald, who is in Miami Valley Hospital Dayton, with a fractured skull sustained when she leaped from the bandit's car which she had been forced to enter at the point of a gun, was reported improved Wednesday although she is still unable to carry on a conversation, or be interviewed.

Sheriff Sharp is co-operating with Montgomery County authorities in the search for the alleged kidnapper but no clew has been uncovered to clear up the identity of the bandit.

This morning the worst snow slide in years, 200 meters long and ten deep, massed with rocks, smothered the tracks near Mendoza. It

is expected that the clearing will be completed to Junca tonight, making 150 kilometers from Los Andes but a break in the weather and sunshine supply the only possibility of opening the road within six days making a total of sixteen days of blockade.

Many are intending to journey to Buenos Aires by way of the Magellan or La Paz. Meantime the rain storm at Valparaiso and Santiago is clearing but threatening, while authorities are listing the great damage on the coast which was done last week.

### WATCHMAN KILLED

DAYTON, O., July 7.—Patrick Maloney, crossing watchman, was killed when he stepped into the path of a Baltimore and Ohio switch engine here.

FIRE LOSS \$20,000

FOSTORIA, O., July 7.—"Old Dan" Cupid, has been busy here during the month of June. A total of twenty-two marriage licenses were issued as compared with fourteen last year.

### EXPECT 400 AT REUNION OF EX-PUPILS AT HOME

Senator Frank B. Willis Will Address Annual Banquet—Officials Elected Wednesday Morning.

Andrews, new superintendent and head matron at the institution, Tuesday afternoon. A short musical program was given after the reception, when Mrs. Howard Carman, Columbus, sang.

The yearly "Buster Brown and Mary Jane" masquerade was held at the new high school auditorium, Tuesday night. The several hundred revelers were costumed and frolicked with abandon.

Election of officers of the Ex-Pupils Association was scheduled for Wednesday morning. Wednesday afternoon will be given over to a ball game and other sports arranged for amusement of the guests.

The association held an informal reception for Col. and Mrs. T. S.

DAMAGE ESTIMATED  
MORE THAN MILLION  
FROM WIND AND RAIN

Dayton Struck Hard And  
Communication Cut  
Off

COLUMBUS, July 7.—Heavy rain and wind storms which swept the state yesterday caused damage estimated today at \$1,200,000 and the injury of two persons.

Columbus, Dayton and Cincinnati were the hardest hit, water and lightning damage running high in each city.

The spire of St. Dominic's Catholic Church here toppled over when lightning shattered it.

Over \$100,000 damage was recorded in Dayton. Cincinnati's damage will run over \$75,000.

Lightning struck the denaturing plant of the Federal Products Company there exploding 10,000 gallons of alcohol.

A downfall of .73 inches of rain soaked Columbus, most of it falling within an hour. Dayton's rainfall 1.91 inches, was beneficial to parched lawns and dry gardens.

The two injured as a result of the storm were Lewis Chenoweth, 28, Grove City and William Gashwin, 10, South Columbus.

Chenoweth was in a real estate office here using a telephone when the line was struck by lightning.

Young Gashwin was struck while he was seated in a swing in front of his home.

High winds accompanying the heavy rain uprooted trees and shrubs causing minor damage to buildings and telephone lines. The rain flooded cellars and low-lying buildings.

The storm in Dayton snapped all telephone and telegraph wires

## EDITORIAL

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## BLAME THE AUTOMOBILE

The Chicago piano manufacturer who views with alarm the growing demand for automobiles is to be excused for his pimply state of mind, but all will not agree with him that the American home was destroyed when the public transferred their monthly payments from the piano to the automobile. When one's own little world falls upon his head it is only natural to proclaim the collapse of the universe, and this is the case with the piano business which has suffered much in competition with the automobile, phonograph and radio.

This is a great nation, its wealth is fabulous. Apparently it can spend \$14,000,000,000 a year for automobiles and hardly notice the expense. Even after spending this huge sum for motoring the American public is paying \$112,000,000 a year for pianos and many times that amount for phonographs, radios and other musical instruments, more and better homes and luxurious furnishings for those homes.

It is possible that a piano has ceased to make a home, although there was a time in the dim past beyond recall when the home was not complete without one. Before the piano, the organ was a necessary attribute of the household, and its discord can be traced to the piano. No doubt the organ manufacturers when they saw their business being taken from them by the piano makers, predicted economic ruin for the nation if the people continued to mortgage their homes and encumber their incomes to buy costly pianos.

There will always be a large demand for the piano. It may not be the first piece of furniture to enter the home of the future but sooner or later it will be coveted in a great majority of those homes. The self-pitying one from Chicago is living in the past when a piano represented the savings of a lifetime of the average family. Today millions of families are able to save from one year's income sufficient money to buy an automobile representing the market value of two or more pianos.

## THE PERIODICAL INVESTIGATION

Consumption of gasoline during the first four months of this year exceeded that of any similar period—more than 20 per cent greater than first quarter consumption last year.

Surplus stocks have been greatly reduced, and an unusually heavy summer demand is expected. A slight increase in price of crude oil and gasoline has resulted from these unsurpassed demands, and the senate has directed the Federal Trade Commission to investigate the situation, al- leging price-fixing methods.

This may result in much testimony being taken during the summer, but the industry appears to have become accustomed to these investigations, as they have been in almost continuous progress since the close of the war. They all cost taxpayers money, but they furnish campaign material and jobs for public employees.

## Today's Talk

TO BE A TREE  
I know nothing about reincarnation, excepting what I have read or learned of its meaning. But it is beautiful to think that these souls of ours go on and on—after they have played about in this body.

Many of the ancients believed that they would live in sorts of animals and plants and things.

It is a nice speculative thought to have this body someday, it in the sap of the ground and work its way into a tree, climb the branches, spreading out and touching leaves until they form into their beautiful shapes giving color and beauty to the landscape about, or perhaps here and there giving nourishment to a group of flowers that later ripen into fruit for bird or beast or man.

Just sit under a tree during a storm and note how it blends its life even to disturbing elements. And then experience its shade during a hot summer day. Or re-

member its beauty out in the cool of the morning or evening during the rising of a sun or its setting. Or, travel in your dreams back to the farm house and listen to the concert of the birds at dusk. God must have thought great deal about trees for He made so many different kinds and scattered them clear around His world. And He put into people's hearts the desire for them, the love for them, so that a home looks incomplete without them about it.

I recently passed over a great desert. For miles nothing but sage brush and cactus. Then, I would see a little farm house with a bunch of trees about it, or perhaps some cows eating nearby.

Some day I hope to write a book which will be called, "My Book of Trees." And I will have pictures and little stories in it of trees that grow all over the surface of this earth.

I wouldn't mind being a beautiful tree!

## SURGEONS RESTORE BOY'S FACE HALF BLOWN OFF BY EXPLOSION

SYDNEY, July 3—Two years ago a nine-year-old boy in a Victorian township had the lower half of his face blown away by the accidental discharge of a shotgun, and today thanks to the skill of an Adelaide surgeon, he has a new half-face.

The surgeon, Dr. Simpson Newland, gained a worldwide reputation by his surgery achievements in the World War and the British Government endeavored to retain his services in England, but Newland returned to Australia in order that his services should be available to Australian soldiers if they were needed. But the operation on the boy is said to be more remarkable than any he performed in war hospitals.

Newland took pieces of flesh from various parts of the boy's body, and began the work of building up a foundation for the missing half of the boy's face. Six operations were spread over a year before the boy began to resemble his former self.

WILL BUILD CHURCH FOR LATEST SAINT

ROME, July 7.—Saint Teresa of the Bambini Jesu, the latest of the saints, whose canonization took place only last year is to have a church built and dedicated in her honor in the Sebastian quarter of Rome.

Saint Teresa is the youngest saint of the century, and is the object of great honor and devotion among French Catholics, having been born at Lisieux, France.

## National Tortoise And Hare



## 1906-Twenty Years Ago-1926

Mr. Arthur Thrall will leave soon with a friend, Mr. Jenkins, for North Dakota, where they expect to spend the summer on a ranch.

Xenia Clippers were defeated 8 to 5 by the Springfield Tecumseh Park nine. Dill pitched.

The Springfield Cadet Band will help entertain at the ex-pupils reunion at the O. S. and S. O. Home this week.

Mr. Herman Eavey is spending a few days at Put-in-Bay, where he is enjoying a little outing and attending a convention of coal dealers.

**Efficient Housekeeping**  
BY Laura A. Kirkman

TOMORROW'S MENU

Breakfast	
Cherries	
Cereal	
Creamed Dried Beef	
Muffins	Coffee
Luncheon	
Devilled Tomatoes on Toast	
Wholewheat Bread	
Left-Over Prunes	Cookies
Iced Tea	
Dinner	
Sliced Left-Over Lamb	Peas
Meat Relish	
Rice Croquettes	
Lettuce	French Dressing
Raspberry Shortcake	
Coffee	

ANSWERS TO INQUIRIES

Mrs. H. R.: "Is there any way to dry-clean curtains? Mine do not seem soiled enough for laundering."

Answer: I would advise you to launder them. I do not think an attempt to dry-clean them would be very successful. At least it would be no less trouble than washing them.

Mrs. M. S.: "How are ants driven from the kitchen?"

Answer: The United States Department of Agriculture publishes a Farmer's Bulletin (No. 740), entitled "House Ants," which is free to all who write to Washington, D. C. for it, addressing their letter simply to "U. S. Dept. of Agriculture." This excellent bulletin explains many ways of exterminating the red and the black ant, both by killing the pests with poisoned baits, such as a sponge moistened with sweetened water and then plunged the sponge into boiling water to kill the ants. It also warns the housewife against leaving food about on shelves or other open spaces. Other methods are the following:

1. Place the legs of the refrigerator, kitchen table and kitchen cabinet in saucers or pans containing water, then pour kerosene oil on top of the water—to keep pests (both ants and roaches) from getting onto kitchen furniture.

2. Have your druggist fix you a five per cent carbolic acid solution and put this in an oil can, the nozzle of which will go into cracks and crevices. This is a POISON, so should not be used in a home where there are children.

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for the beneficial effect they have on the soil. Farmers are beginning to realize more than ever before the value of the nitrogen-fixing bacteria of the legumes.

Question of artificial fertilizers has come to the fore in recent years. The farmer has learned by experience his land must be "fed" as regularly as he feeds his cattle and hogs. Crop rotation partially solves this difficulty but it does not keep all kinds of soil in shape to produce crops. It was found the legumes are a big factor in soil conservation but that they needed assistance.

For this reason the commercial fertilizer was developed, soil foods which can be fed to the soil to increase its fertility. For instance in 1916, Greene County farmers used 5,403,740 lbs. of commercial fertilizer, twenty-six tons of lime, the total cost amounting to \$50,121.

Liming of wet and sour soil is not a new thing. It has been used by some of the farmers of the county since the days of the Civil War. Lime is being used to an increasing extent each year.

**Just Folks**  
BY EDGAR A. GUEST

## BIRTHDAY GREETING TO BUD

Another birthday, son o' mine,  
And still your heart is clean  
and true,  
And still your eyes with laughter  
shine!

God keep them so your whole life  
through!

You have not hung your head in  
shame,  
Nor lessened once our love and  
pride—  
You've been a credit to your name,  
Your feet have never turned aside.

God bless you, boy, and keep you  
strong!  
May many birthdays follow this;  
May all the sting of conscious  
wrong  
And hurt of shame be yours to  
miss.

Your heart is still so clean and  
true,  
And still your eyes with laughter  
shine—  
God keep them so your whole life  
through,  
And bless your journey, son o' mine.

**AUTOIST UNHURT; BOVINE IS KILLED**

An automobile and a stray cow figured in a unique collision on

**Clear Your Skin With Cuticura**  
Soap to Cleanse Ointment to Heal Absolutely Nothing Better

## 16-DAY SEASIDE EXCURSIONS

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THROUGH SLEEPING CARS  
TO ATLANTIC CITY

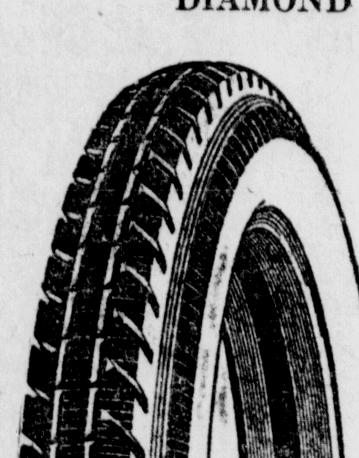
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## TIRES

## DIAMOND AND DUNLAP



30x 3 1-2 Cords \$8.95

29x4.40 Balloon \$12.95

32x4 Diamond Cords \$21.40

32x4 1-2 Diamond Cords \$28.10

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3 1-2 Boots 35c

Reliners \$1.75

We have your size—Get  
our price.

## Everything For The Car

A-C Speedometers \$8.75

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Water Pumps \$1.69

Wedge Cushions 98c

Tire Pumps 85c

Jacks \$1.25

Spotlights \$1.39

Motor Horns \$3.25

Simonize 50c

Fan Belts, Brake Lining,

Piston Rings, Head Gas-

kets, etc.

the Springfield and Dayton Pike was instantly killed north of Goss Station at 2 o'clock Tuesday morning, the cow coming off with second honors.

The automobile, driven by Calvin Dismitt, this city, overturned in a ditch when it struck the animal as it strayed along the middle of the pike.

He said he had dodged his car passed several stray cows but noticed the one in question too late to avoid the accident.

## THEY WON'T SKID

**Dayton Thorobred Balloons**  
DAYTON STABILIZED BALLOON  
Resists Road Shocks

## XENIA AUTO NECESSITY CO

South Detroit St.  
"Tom and Dick, the Tire Boys"

**UP GOES THE CURTAIN**  
LIKE CHRISTMAS, REDPATH COMES BUT ONCE  
A YEAR.

## Chautauqua Begins July 8th

HAROLD LEWIS AND HIS SYMPHONY PLAYERS AFTERNOON CONCERT

CHARLES H. PLATTENBURG  
"THE MODERN TALE OF TWO CITIES"

Following Symphony Players' Evening Prelude  
SEASON TICKETS \$2.50 CHILDREN \$1.25  
COVERING 14 SATISFYING SESSIONS

## DOLLAR DAY AT ENGILMAN'S

THURSDAY, JULY 8TH

13 yds. Unbleached Muslin, 10c quality	\$1.00
7 yds. Hope Bleached Muslin, Special	\$1.00
2 1-2 yds. Bleached or Unbleached Sheetings	\$1.00
4 yds. Bleached Pillow Tubing, 29c quality	\$1.00
10 yds. Apron or Dress Gingham, Special	\$1.00
7 yds. Everett Shirting Gingham, 16c quality	\$1.00

## Society-Personal-Clubs

THE NICEST courtesy you can show your guests is to have their visits mentioned on this page. The nicest courtesy you can show your friends is to let them learn of your visits through this page whenever you go away. The Gazette and Republican consider it a courtesy whenever you turn in an item of any kind. PHONE 59.

## DINNER PARTY ON BIRTH ANNIVERSARY

A three-course dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Osborne, Sunday, in honor of Mr. Osborne's birthday.

Those who enjoyed the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Osborne, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stark, and three children, Mr. Harold Method, all of near Waynesville and Mrs. Emerson Ditt, Dayton.

## TOWNSHIP SEWING CLUB HOLDS MEETING

Sewing Club of Xenia Twp., met at the home of Mrs. J. A. Hutchinson, Tuesday afternoon. The regular business meeting was held when plans were made for the Greene County Fair work and the "Worth While Club," selected.

The girls spent the afternoon sewing. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. F. P. Hastings Tuesday afternoon, July 13.

Miss Evelyn Anders and Miss Erma Glass, Miami University, spent the week end at their home at Alpha. Miss Betty Hill, Fletcher, was their week end guest.

Miss Ruth Hadley, 628 Woodlawn Ave., Springfield, entertained with an afternoon bridge party, Monday, honoring Miss Betty Laist, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Laist, this city, who plans to leave soon for an extended tour of Europe.

Earl Short, Jr., W. Market St., is spending the week in West Liberty, O., with relatives.

Miss Rachel Dice, seriously injured her right eye, when she was struck by pebbles from a "torpedo" during a Fourth of July celebration. Dr. Reed Madden is attending the injured eye and making every attempt to save her sight.

Mrs. George L. White, W. Market St., has as her guest, Mrs. Jenkins Curtis, El Paso, Tex., who stopped in Xenia enroute home after a visit in New York City.

Mr. Samuel Ellis, Wilmington Pike, is recovering from an attack of grip from which he has been ill several days.

David Short, W. Market St., is spending a few days in Wilmington, the guest of Mr. Bert Morris.

Young son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Oglesby, Wilmington Pike, is ill with an attack of toxemia.

Mrs. Charles O'Brien and infant son, Charles Jr., N. King St., spent the week end and the Fourth with relatives in Northside, Cincinnati.

Miss May Orr is enjoying a vacation from The Citizens' National Bank and is on a conducted tour East. She will stop at Cleveland, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, New York and Philadelphia in addition to a lake trip and down the Hudson River.

Billy and Bobbie Crawford, little sons of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Crawford, S. Detroit St., are recovering from severe attacks of ear and throat trouble. Billy, the older has been ill with a complication but is now improving. Bobbie's illness has been confined to his throat. Both have been ill ten days.

Little Miss Elizabeth Hendien, Wilmington Pike, has returned home after a two weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rinehart, Dayton.

Mrs. Sadie Reed, Los Angeles, Calif., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George O. Bane, near Jamestown.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thomas, Yellow Springs, have received an announcement of the birth of a son, Eugene William, to their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sprague, Scranton, Pa. This is Mr. and Mrs. Sprague's second child, their other child, a girl, being two years old.

Mrs. Lawrence Davis, W. Second St., received serious burns to her right hand and arm, when a miniature "volcano" exploded while Mrs. Davis was visiting her sister, Mrs. Albert Sanders, Jamestown, Monday. The fireworks had failed to flare when a match was first applied and when Mrs. Davis touched it with a second match, it exploded. She received second degree burns from the tips of her fingers above her hand, the upper part of the arm being less seriously burned. She is confined to bed at her sister's home.

Mrs. M. C. Reeves, seamstress, Gazette Building, fractured her left arm and dislocated several fingers of her left hand when she suffered an attack of vertigo, Sunday, at her home, and fell.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Marshall, Newcomerstown, O., and Mr. W. L. Marshall, Columbus, spent the past week end with Mr. and Mrs. James Hawkins, near Xenia.

The Greene County Library will be closed every evening except Saturday, during Chautauqua week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred DeVoe, and Donald, the Misses Lura Bales, Ruth Clouse and Wanda De Voe; Messrs. Glenn, Ernest McKay and Robert Copeland were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Stroup, Troy, Monday evening after which they attended the Eagles' Celebration at Troy fairgrounds.

Miss Miriam Hawkins, of the state college extension service, Bozeman, Mont., arrived in Xenia Monday and will spend two weeks with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gangwer and family, W. Manchester, Mr. and Mrs. George Bowers and daughter, of Lewisburg, Mr. and Mrs. John Boyd of W. Milton, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Henderson of Jasper Station.

## WOMAN AND BABE INJURED WHEN MACHINES COLLIDE ALONG PIKE

Mistaking the friendly wave of the driver of an oncoming auto as a signal he was about to stop, C. G. Andrews, Westboro, O., swerved his machine to the left creating a head-on collision in which four persons were slightly injured at 5:30 p. m., Tuesday two miles southeast of Xenia on the Wilmington Pike.

Mrs. Olive Pendell and nine-months-old child, who occupied the front seat of a touring car owned and driven by her husband, Nathan Pendell R. R. 1, Xenia, were hurled through the windshield but escaped with minor cuts and bruises about the face and head. Four other children in the rear seat were unharmed.

Two women who occupied the sedan owned and driven by Andrews, whose names were not learned, were also slightly hurt in the crash. Andrews, who is said to room with them, did not reveal their identity.

Dr. W. H. Finley, Xenia, called to the scene of the accident, ad-

ministered first aid treatment to Mrs. Pendell and her child.

Both cars were wrecked. The sedan overturned in a ditch but the touring car, although also hurled into a ditch, remained upright.

Andrews was driving toward Wilmington and Pendell toward Xenia. Action of Pendell in waving his hand to someone in a farmhouse is thought to have confused Andrews making him believe he was about to stop on the wrong side of the road. He is said to have turned his car to the left to pass and the machines met head-on.

Sedan was taken to the Stephens and Bernard Garage at Wilmington for repairs. Oliver Buell, auto club secretary, Deputy Sheriff John Baughn, Motorcycle Policeman Peter Shagin and Patrolman Fred Jones investigated.

## MT. TABOR

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Devoe entertained to dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Will Devoe, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones and family, and Mrs. Marion Jones and daughter, all of Xenia, and Mrs. Lizzemmy Devoe and daughter, Flo, of Paintersville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and family motored to Indianapolis, Saturday, and remained over to spend the Fourth with their son, Luther and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hollingsworth and daughter, Pauline, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Foster Hollingsworth, of Dayton.

Ernestine Jones spent several days last week with her cousin, Freda Trout, of Mt. Carmel.

Roy Hook and family of New Jasper, spent Sunday with Mrs. Hook's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jones.

Stanley Jones spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Devoe, of Lutterell.

At the church, Sunday evening, the 11th, Sunday School at 6:30 o'clock, followed by preaching.

The Loyal Sons' and Daughters' Sunday School classes will hold their monthly class meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Jones, Tuesday evening the 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Smith and family spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Beal and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wolary spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. John McKenzie, of near Sabina.

## SPRING VALLEY

Mr. Arch Copsey's Sunday School class of boys enjoyed an all day picnic and fishing excursion on Ceasers Creek, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bagford entertained Thursday evening Mr. Thomas Bagford and daughter Miss Lillian, Miss Cora Dumford, Mr. Ralph Bagford and Mr. Robert King of Lebanon.

Little Miss Laura Wesley Whitaker of Morrow is visiting her cousin Virginia Alexander.

Little Miss Kathryn Hunt of Madisonville is visiting her cousins Emily and Billy Hiltz.

Miss Marie Squires of Dayton was the week end guest of Miss Laura Copsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bagford entertained Sunday afternoon Mrs. Mrs. Penquite, Miss Rachel Bagford and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Penquite of Clarksville.

Misses Rebecca Sanders and Minerva Linscott entertained Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Lester Stiles and little son of New Carlisle.

Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Peterson entertained at supper Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Ray Peterson and daughters of Chicago and Mrs. Minnie Darner of Dayton.

Mrs. Flora Mason spent the fore part of the week with her son Erwin and family of Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hudson and family of Columbus have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Peterson and son attended the Peterson family reunion near Celina Sunday.

## Calendar of Events

(Notices of coming events in social or fraternal circles, lodge meetings, club gatherings or benefits will be published in this column free of charge. Phone notices not more than ten days preceding the event itself.)

WEDNESDAY, JULY 7: Church Prayer Meetings. J. O. U. A. M. K. of P. Moose.

THURSDAY, JULY 8: Obedient Thimble Club. Red Men. P. of X. D. or A. W. R. C. Am. Ins. Union.

FRIDAY, JULY 9: Eagles. Union Community Club.

SUNDAY, JULY 11: Harshman-Yeakley Reunion.

MONDAY, JULY 12: Xenia S. P. O. D. of P. Phi Delta Kappa Modern Woodmen.

## HEAVY DAMAGE IS CAUSED BY STORM

Tuesday afternoon's heavy electrical storm resulted in damage estimated at \$6,000, in Dayton. The storm hit Dayton, carried on wind travelling at sixty-five miles an hour. When the fury of the elements subsided, the city was left with badly crippled telephone and street car service.

Uprooted trees blockaded streets, paving was washed away and numerous cellars were flooded by the terrific downpour, which totalled 1.91 inches during the short period.

Crops in Montgomery County were damaged to the extent of \$25,000, it is reported. Dayton was isolated from the outside world for hours as far as telephone service was concerned. Emergency crews were put on duty and the damage repaired by Wednesday noon.

Miss Dena Mills and Mrs. Mamie Stillwell, Dayton, spent Wednesday with Miss Mills' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Mills, near Cedarville. Miss Mills is leaving Friday for Michigan to spend two months at a summer resort.

Mrs. Robert Murray, N. Detroit St., was removed to the Miami Hospital, Dayton, Wednesday, preparatory to an operation, Thursday.

Miss Helen Howard, of God's Bible School, Cincinnati, spent the week end and the Fourth with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Strain will entertain the J. F. F. Club at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Strain, Van Eaton Road, Friday evening. Members are asked to bring a half dozen bananas.

Mrs. Martha McClellan, Mrs. C. S. Dean, Mr. Russell Dean, Mr. Charles Miller and Mrs. Adda Oglesby motored to Newton Falls, O., Thursday and remained until Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dean.

EAST END NEWS MRS. JAMES HARRIS Correspondent TEL. 91-R

Woman's Relief Corps, No. 223, held a program Monday afternoon on the lawn at 40 Taylor St. Forty East End children were on the program, which included a flag drill, songs and other drills. The children gave a pledge to the flag after singing "America." The lawn was decorated with flags and bunting. The corps wishes to thank the friends and parents for letting their children participate. Officers of the corps are: Mrs. Hattie Spencer, president; Mrs. Mary Roman, chaplain; Fannie Garrett, guard; Josie Wadell, secretary.

WINS CREDIT PRIZE

COLUMBUS, O., July 7.—Robert Lobser, of Cleveland, has won first place in the American Legion's contest among school children of Ohio for an inspirational and vigorously patriotic flag creed, according to information received here by James F. Corrigan, Department Americanism chairman.

For Sale Dynamite and Blasting Supplies

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J. W. and L. I. Frazier Phone 622

996 W. Main St. Wilmington, Ohio

## The Theatre

It is not the theater which pollutes the audience, but the audience which pollutes the theater. Today, the first class theater, the legitimate theater of fine tradition and pure artistic expression—as distinguished from the faddist, exotic theaters, which by presenting novel forms of drama with daring, morbid themes have gained a temporary vogue—is fighting for its very existence.

This, according to Charles Co-burn, well known to playgoers as an actor-producer who has been identified with the best in the theater. His outstanding successes on Broadway were as the choruses in "The Yellow Jacket," and as old Bill in "The Better 'Ole."

Standards cannot be raised above the taste of audiences so long as the bread is buttered, perhaps sugared, by the democratic expression of purchase by the majority. The box office must be released on evidence from economic pressure.

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Earl Carroll has proved a deep disappointment to his friends, who had always looked upon him as a master bon vivant, according to the Theater Magazine. He does not smoke, nor can he testify to the taste of liquor. He doesn't know good rye from whole wheat bread, according to the Rialto.

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Fay Baumer, who has been missed from the theater some two years, has returned to the fold. William Harris, Jr., who has had his under contract ever since Miss Baumer's "Ming Toy" days, will star her in Vincent Lawrence's play, "Sour Grapes."

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The melodramatic theater having disappeared and its audience having become possessed of material wealth, that class has turned for its entertainment to the "first-class" theaters, with the result that the mental average of audiences in first-class theaters has been lowered, Mr. Coburn declares. Discussion of the theaters righteously or iniquitously, depending upon the psychology of the debators, is beside the mark because of internal economic conditions.

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Ohmer Tate, candidate for sheriff at the August primary, and Paul Cresswell, deputy auditor, were here rounding up the Republican voters, Friday night.

Mrs. Clystia Buckles visited her son, Dallas Buckles, and family, in Xenia, Sunday.

Attorney F. L. Johnson was in town on legal business Wednesday.

Scott Hopkins' fingers are decorated with white rags as the result of getting them too near an exploding firecracker.

Bellbrook journeyed to Beavertown last Sunday and for an opening game administered the same kind of medicine which gave the closing game of last year to the Bellbrook boys. The visitors played with all the expeditious of time-tried veterans of the diamond and would have shun their competitors out but for a little mussup in the eighth inning which caused Beavertown to score two runs. Score 4 to 2. The Bellbrook line-up was as follows: Cramer 1st B.; Zimmerman 2nd B.; Sackett 3rd B.; Crowell S. S. Darbyshire L. F. Mills C. F. Sidenstricker R. F. Sidenstricker R. F. Pitcher, Helm, Catcher, Weller.

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An alligator was captured on E. Main St., in almost the heart of the city Tuesday morning.

No, dear readers this is no delusion nor was the man who captured the reptile suffering from acute pre-Volsteadism, he actually made the capture in front of the Xenia Postoffice.

The alligator was the pet of Maurice Hyman, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Hyman, E. Market St., and had escaped from the tub in which it was kept. The gator was a gift from the boy's elder brother, Isadore, while he was in Florida last October.

The amphibian measures about twelve inches from the tip of its nose to the tip of its tail. It was found and returned to its owner by K. R. Harris, night operator of the city waterworks.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lewis and Miss Sarah Weaver were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emery Oglesbee, Sunday. Harry Allen Stout, Wilmington, has been their guest for four weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Stroup, Troy, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy McKinlay Sunday.

Mr. Frederick Hartson, Dayton, spent the routh with his parents.

Miss Mary Smith Dayton, spent

After forty years of service with the Pennsylvania Railroad, most of the time as engineer, Joseph J. Nash, S. Detroit St., has retired from active service. He warmly praised the company at the close of the long term of service.

GREENE COUNTY'S  
GREATEST  
CLEARANCE  
SALE STARTS

July 9th

# JULY CLEARANCE SALE

Starts Friday Morning at 8 A. M. And Lasts 10 Days-Be Here When The Doors Open

## SAVINGS!

Good quality percales. Light or dark patterns. Yard wide. Clearance Sale price, per yard.

131-2c

Pretty patterns fine dress gingham's. 32 inches wide. Clearance Sale price, per yard.

131-2c

Blue denim. Regular wide. 32 inches wide. Clearance Sale price, per yard.

24c

9-1 Bleached Pepperell Sheeting. Regular 55c quality. Clearance Sale price, per yard.

43c

9-1 Unbleached Pepperell Sheeting. Regular 48c quality. Clearance Sale price, per yard.

39c

42 inch Bleached Pepperell Pillow Tubing. Regular 37c value. Clearance Sale price, per yard.

29c

A dandy good grade apron gingham. In many good quality checks. Regular 13c value. Clearance Sale price, per yard.

9c

DRESS SOX

Men's dress sox at a price that is seldom equaled. Good quality. Regular 12

1-2c values go in this Clearance Sale at



## COATS MUST GO

Your Unrestricted Choice Of Any Coat In Our Store

Coats in a great sale that reach the peak in value-giving. Every coat a new Spring and Summer model in the newest styles and colors—but you'll have to come early. Your choice of our entire coat stock at one-half off.

FLARES  
STRAIGHT-LINES  
CREPE-LINED  
FUR-TRIMMED  
NEW COLORS

1/2  
OFF

## ALL PRICES TORN TO SHREDS

### BATHING SUITS

Men and Women's cotton bathing suits. Blue with red or white trimmings. Regular 69c value. July Clearance Sale at

49c

### DRESS SOX

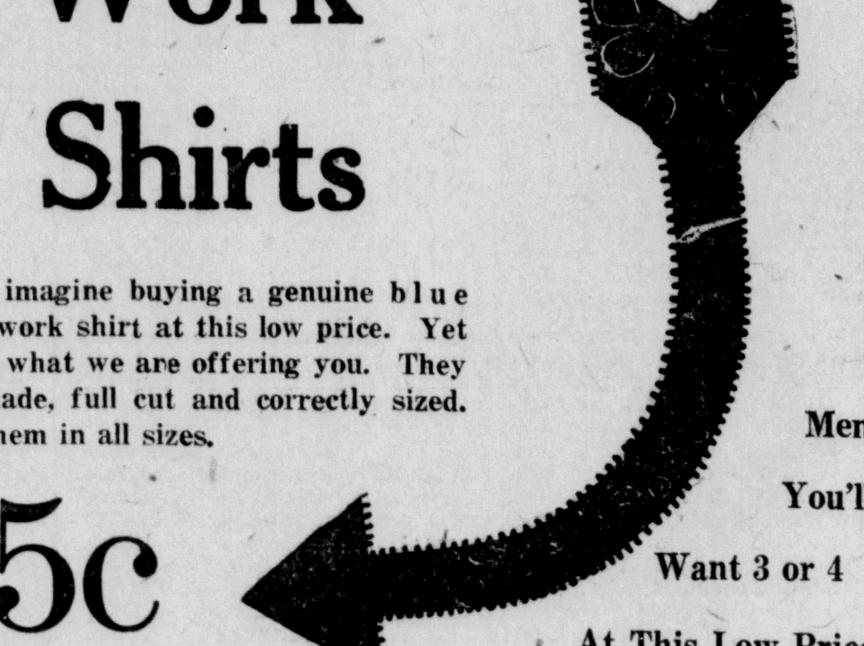
Men's dress sox at a price that is seldom equaled. Good quality. Regular 12

1-2c values go in this Clearance Sale at

3 prs. 25c

### MEN! LOOK AT THIS GENUINE BLUE CHAMBRAY

## Work Shirts



Men! just imagine buying a genuine blue chambray work shirt at this low price. Yet that's just what we are offering you. They are well made, full cut and correctly sized. We have them in all sizes.

45c

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At This Low Price!

29c

### HANDKERCHIEFS

Plain white dress handkerchiefs or red or blue work handkerchiefs. All go in our great July Clearance Sale at

31-2c

### CROCHET COTTON

O. N. T. Crochet Cotton in both white and ecru colors. All sizes. Regular 10c value go in the Clearance Sale at

7c

## Your Choice of Hats



Your choice on any Spring or Summer hat in our store at this one low price. Included are hats that originally sold to \$4.95. Imagine buying them now at \$1.19. Choose early while selections are best.

19c

Big Yank Work shirts for Men. Cotton chambray, full two pockets, correctly sized. Regular 95c value. In our great July Clearance Sale they go at

69c

Men's halibrgan union suits. Short sleeves, ankle length. \$1.00 values. Also \$1.00 athletic union suits. To clean up at

79c

Boys' good quality nainsook athletic union suits. In all sizes. Regular 50c values. Reduced for our July Clearance Sale to

35c

Special for men. Porous knit union suits. Most comfortable for summer wear. Regular 89c values. Reduced for this sale to

59c

Men's good grade athletic union suits. In all sizes. Our regular 50c grades. All go into this great Clearance Sale at

39c

Women's summer knit union suits. Open or closed style. All sizes. Regular 50c value. Reduced for this sale to

39c

Men's work sox. Good light quality especially good for summer wear. 10c grade. To clean up at

71-2c

inch suit cases. WITH RAPS. In either black or brown. \$1.69 value. Clearance Sale price only

1.38

Women's under-arm pocket books. In all the new shapes and designs. \$1.00 values. Clearance Sale price, per yard

88c

Khaki denim. Very good quality. Full width. Regular 29c value. Clearance Sale price, per yard

19c

Good quality 36 inch white crepe. Regular 25c values. Clearance Sale price, per yard

17c

This huge stock of summer goods is now on the gain block for quick and decisive clearance. Cost and profit have been entirely forgotten—prices have been hammered down to rock-bottom—new low prices that will be the sensation of all Greene County. Let nothing keep you away if you value money for your dollars will do double duty here as never before. This page can give but a small idea of the thousands of bargains to be found here. Come prepared to save many, many dollars, and we promise you'll not be disappointed! Starting Friday morning and lasting throughout ten bargain packed selling days.

## Smashing Prices In Xenia As Never Before The Sensation of All Greene County

BROWN  
MUSLIN  
39 Inches Wide  
8c yd.

Ladies' crepe bloomers in plain colors or figured. Regular 50c values. Reduced for our July Clearance Sale to

39c

Women's cotton hose in black and light summer colors. Regular 15c values. Reduced for quick clearance to, per pair

8c

Women's Rayon silk hose all the new summer shades. Regular 50c values go into this great Clearance Sale at

35c

Men here's what you have wanted. A good weight coat. A good weight coat. Fine for summer use. Out they go at, per pair

21c

special lot of women's summer union suits. Regular 39c values. Small sizes only. Out they go at

7c

Women's princess slips cheap or than you could buy the material. Regular 50c values. Marked down in our great Clearance Sale to

23c

inch suit cases in either black or brown. Re-inforced corners. \$1.25 value. Clearance Sale price

95c

Women's and Misses' styling of window shades on many pretty fabrics. Regular \$2.95 values, reduced for this sale to

2.45

inch suit cases. WITH RAPS. In either black or brown. \$1.69 value. Clearance Sale price only

1.38

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Khaki denim. Very good quality. Full width. Regular 29c value. Clearance Sale price, per yard

19c

Good quality 36 inch white crepe. Regular 25c values. Clearance Sale price, per yard

17c

HOME  
MUSLIN  
12  
10c yd.

Women's fine princess slips in muslin and colors. Some embroidered. \$1.00 values. Reduced for this sale to

1.49

Men's knee pants in fine materials. Sizes to 16. Regular 15c values. Reduced for great Clearance Sale to

85c

Bib aprons with cap to match. Of fine quality percales or ginghams. Regular 89c value. Clearance Sale price

69c

Children's full length hose in black, brown and light colors. Small sizes. Reduced for this great Clearance Sale to

21c

Children's bloomer dresses in pretty new prints. Regular \$1.00 value. In the great Clearance Sale at

7c

Men here's what you have wanted. A good weight coat. A good weight coat. Fine for summer use. Out they go at, per pair

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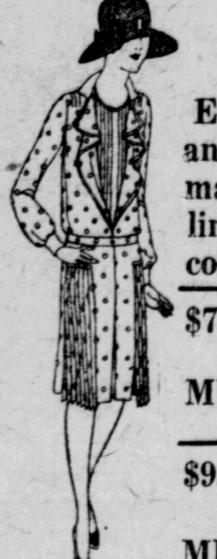
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17c

## You Will Be Amazed At These Wonderful Dress Values!



Every dress in our stock is included in this great July Clearance Sale. Dresses of fine silks, crepes, and many other fine materials. All are made in the newest styles. Flares, straight lines, pleats and many new novel ways of trimming. In all colors. All sizes.

\$7.45 DRESSES  
MUST GO AT

\$4.69

\$9.90 DRESSES  
MUST GO AT

\$6.95



## BARGAINS!

Unbleached muslin. 39 inches wide. Regular 15c value. Clearance Sale price, per yard

9c

Everett Shirtings. Many patterns to choose from. Regular 16c value. Clearance Sale price, per yard

13c

Unbleached muslin. Very good quality. Yard wide. Regular 12 1/2c value. Clearance Sale price, per yard

10c

Good grade toweling crash. Regular 17c grade. Clearance Sale price, per yard

12 1/2c

Good grade toweling crash. Regular 17c grade. Clearance Sale price, per yard

10c

A special lot of children's dress hats. Values to 75c. Clearance sale price

29c

Straw ticking. Full width. Our regular 17c grade. Clearance Sale price, per yard

14c

A special lot of extra good quality percales and ginghams. Clearance Sale price, per yard

15c

A special lot of fine figured patterns and dotted dress voiles. Yard wide. 35c quality. Clearance Sale price, per yard

# Classified Advertising Page

THE EVENING GAZETTE, WEDNESDAY, JULY 7, 1926.



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TO 3-1-1

THE GAZETTE-REPUBLICAN  
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#### PUBLIC SALES

50 Auctioneers.

51 Auction Sales.

#### CARD OF THANKS

WE TAKE THIS MEANS OF THANKING the neighbors, friends and consoled of flowers: Dr. Stanton for his consoling words and Mr. Whitmer for his kind services, in the bereavement of our son and mother, Mrs. Esther Warwick—Woodie Warwick and family.

#### PERSONAL

52 WILL BOARD—a limited number of dogs, during vacation and week-ends. Rates reasonable.

Mrs. Harry Hilliard, Route 6, Union Road, Phone 552-R-2.

#### LOST AND FOUND

53 LOST—Raccoon for neck piece between Bijou Theater and Candy Kitchen, Saturday evening—Call 552-R and receive reward.

54 FOUND—THE PLACE—to get the tiniest dogs, from one half pound to twelve pounds. Price \$5.00 to \$50.00. Also registered dog—Mrs. H. L. Hilliard, Route 6, Union Road, Phone 552-R-2.

55 LOST, STRAYED—ON STOLEN—a week ago, small brown dog. Spotted black, white, short tail—Call 169-W or 932 N. West St. Reward.

#### CLEANING, PRESSING LAUNDRY

56 XENIA HAND LAUNDRY—Best hand laundry in town. We call for and deliver.

128 S. Detroit St. Phone 1033.

57 HATS OF ALL KINDS—cleaned and dyed—also dyed—linen dyed black—AMERICAN SHOE SHINER PARLOR, 10 N. Detroit St.

#### PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

58 TUNING

Uprights, Grand and Player Pianos.

Expert Repairing.

J. E. Kohl, Phone 617-W.

59 HEMSTITCHING—The Vogue Embroidery Shop, 19 S. Detroit St.

60 CHIROPRACTIC—Mrs. T. H. Harbin, 641 E. Second St. 1179-W.

61 ELECTRICIANS, WIRING

62 ELECTRIC SERVICE—staircase generator and magnetico service.

Xenia Storage Battery Co., 118 W. Market St.

63 REPAIRING, REFINISHING

64 FURNITURE REPAIRING—and refinishing of all kinds. We can make your shabby furniture look like new again.

Fred Graham, Whitehaven St. Phone 3.

65 HELP WANTED—MALE

66 MEN—WANTED—The Miami Ferrier Co., Trebeins, Ohio.

67 HELP WANTED—FEMALE

68 EXPERIENCED WAITRESS—Call at Interurban Restaurant.

69 HELP WANTED—AGENTS, SALESMEN

70 SALESMEN WANTED—to sell oil in 50-50 mixed drums, on 30-50 day credit. Earn \$60.00 weekly. Year round work booking orders for at once or future shipment. Apply Regd. Sales agent Interurban Columbus next week. Atias Oil, General Offices, Cleveland, Ohio.

71 HORSES, CATTLE, HOGS

72 SPRING PIGS—for sale—See R. E. Bryson, Springfield Pike.

73 MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

74 \$100—baler and engine, combined.

75 \$100—Jno. Harbin, Allen Bld.

#### "Not Possible To Classify"

By Mack Sauer

#### POTATOES AND EGGS

Of good means there are hundreds. But we tire of this and that, Often does the sweet aroma Of fried chicken knock us flat. When my wife comes with a painful, Worried look up her brow, Then I know she's come to ask me What I'd like to have for chow.

When we tire of beans and bacon, Sauerkraut and oyster stew, When we want no more of chicken, And we wonder what to do, When my wifey frets and worries, And a him from me she begs On just what to have for dinner— I say "Let's have spuds and eggs."

When fried onions tempt no longer. When we're tired of eating hash, When for liver, steak and onions, All our taste has gone to smash, 'Tis a joy to keep from starving. And a swell of gladness noos As we listen to the sizzling While we're frying eggs and spuds.

When the dusk of evening gathers And the darkness fills the stairs, When I trudge home from my toiling, Usually I'm saying prayers— Praying that when called to supper, When I'm shaved and in my duds I'll find something on the menu Other than fried eggs and spuds.

"Be sure your sins will find you out." We heard of a lady who got up in a revival meeting in a city in Indiana announced she had been out with a prominent undertaker of the city, gave his name, asked for forgiveness and sat down.

**BA! BA! BLACK SHEEP!**  
Said an old black sheep  
To Farmer Doroma,  
"I didn't raise my boy  
To be a diploma."

#### MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE 28

NO. 1 NEW HAY ROPE—at a bar-gain—Xenia Iron & Metal Co., 17 Cincinnati Ave., Phone 144.

BRING IN THAT OLD IRON—We'll give you \$1.00 for it, if you trade it in on a new one—Eichman and Miller, W. Main St., 17 Allen Bldg.

CHATTLES—loans. Notes bought 2nd mortgages. Jno. Harbin, Allen Bldg.

TIRES, TUBES, BATTERIES 50

SPECIAL GOODYEAR TUBES—

30X3½ seconds, \$1.85—Xenia Vulcanizing Co., E. Main St.

30X3½ CORDS, \$7.75—Carroll-Binder Co., 108 E. Main.

PARTS, SERVICE, REPAIRING 51

FORD BUMPERS—Complete set, practically new, \$10.00—Xenia Vulcanizing Co., E. Main St.

GEORGE HOLSTEIN—Auto wrecks, parts for all cars—S. Collier St., Phone 387-R.

USED CARS FOR SALE 54

2 TON NASH TRUCK—Xenia Fudge-Jewett Co., 32 W. Main St.

LANG'S USED CARS—

1922 Ford sedan, \$100.

1923 Ford sedan, \$100.

1917 Buick touring, \$100.

1923 Ford touring, \$100.

1918 Buick "6" touring, \$100.

Terms to responsible buyers.

Xenia Garage Co., S. Detroit St., Phone 380-W.

GET IT AT DONGES

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, RADIOS 29

PHONOGRAHS—Choice of three good values—Jno. T. Harbin, Jr.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS 30

NEW PERFECTION & PURITAN—oil stoves and ovens—Illustron-Bickett hardware Co.

GLOBE COOK STOVE—in good condition—Emmett Smith, 4026-K-11.

SPECIAL SALE—Buffets, round tables, kitchen tables and serving pieces—range, electric, gas, glass, oilers, packing, boiler tubes, suction hose, tank pumps, pipe, valves and fittings. You can get them at The Beckett King Co., Phone 360.

USED AUTOMOBILES—Parts for cars of all makes—Xenia Salvage Co., S. Collier St., at Penn R. R.

AUCTION SALES 56

AUCTION SALE—Household furniture. Sat. July 14, at 10 a.m.—Baby buggy, baby beds, bedsteads, dressers, buffet, chiffonier, rockers, tables, stands, etc. R. R. 2, Allen Bldg.

JOHNSTON USED CAR DEPT.—

1924 Star touring, \$100.

1925 Star touring, \$100.

2 cheap Fords.

Johnston Motor Sales, 109 W. Main St., Phone 1133.

USED AUTOMOBILES—Parts for cars of all makes—Xenia Salvage Co., S. Collier St., at Penn R. R.

WEAF (370) Chicago, Musical.

WJZ (455) N. Y. Gems of Romance.

WJJD (376) Moosehead, Popular.

# MODERN BALL GAMES SURVIVAL OF RELIGIOUS RITUALS, SAID

LONDON, July 6—Modern sports, particularly games played with a ball, are a survival of religious rituals, according to Professor G. Elliot Smith, professor of anatomy in the University of London.

"The particular forms games have assumed," he said, "are the result of historical circumstances. The earliest games that had any staying powers and have survived into modern times were not simply sports but the most serious and sacred occupations of primitive men. Like the drama, they formed part of religious ceremonies that aimed at life-giving."

Professor Smith said that ball games are as old as civilization and possibly as man himself. He attributed man's most distinctive attributes to his skill of hand and eye.

"The natural impulse of the human child to play with a stick and ball is prompted by an instinct as irresistible as that which impels the lion's kitten to acquire by play the skill that is so vital to its existence," he explained.

"The earliest European reference to games that were the ancestors of hockey and stoolball (cricket) are found in an Irish epic, probably written early in the seventeenth century. But many centuries earlier games akin to these were played in the East. In his description of London during the twelfth century, Fitzstevens says that at Shrovetide schoolboys devoted the morning to cockfights under the control of their masters, while in the afternoon all the young men of the city engaged in football, various schools and crafts opposing each other. In 1409 a proclamation was issued in London forbidding the levy of money for 'foteball' and 'cockshressing,' or cockfighting."

"Tug-of-war was a type of ritual conflict to promote the welfare of the gods and the prosperity of the community that was observed more than thirty centuries ago in the East. At one time ball games used to be played in churches at Easter. They are supposed to represent survivals of the ritual dramatic performances and sacred games to promote abundant crops. The general prosperity of the whole community was believed to depend upon the results of these ritual contests. They were originally the sport of kings and success in play was regarded as a token of noble birth."

"In London, however, as early as the beginning of the Middle Ages, they had already lost their mystical significance and had become no more than games for the whole community. In the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries stoolball was a common Easter game. School girls and boys played it for tanys cakes and kisses. It was played, according to Aubrey, with a staffe, commonly made of withy, about three and a half feet long, and a ball stuffed very hard with quills and covered with soale leather." Strutt describes it as a variety game more commonly known as goff or bandy ball, the paganism of the Romans, who also stuffed the ball with feathers. This is generally regarded as the earliest form of cricket.

"There is abundant evidence to prove that the ball games that we now regard as many sports are the survivals, much modified in their rules and associations, of ceremonies that originally were devised for the welfare of the king, upon whom the prosperity of his kingdom was wholly dependent. The original ritual was primarily a dramatic representation of the conflict between the king's followers and his enemies to establish his dominion."

"It has been claimed by E. K. Chambers that the ball is nothing else than the head of the sacrificial animal, and that the game

is the endeavor of each player to get it into his possession, or, if sides are taken, to get it over a particular boundary."

"These serious religious objects were responsible for establishing the hold of games upon the interest of the people or rather gave them an excuse for practice and appreciate skill and enterprise which appeal to the instinctive love of play inborn in all mankind."

"With the extension of Christianity the time arrived when these relics of pagan practices were frowned upon and discouraged, until eventually a wiser attitude obtained recognition and there emerged a true sport free from all religious restrictions, one that encourages the many qualities and promotes friendly rivalry and good fellowship."

## PLAYS TO FEATURE CHAUTAUQUA HERE TO START THURSDAY

Headlining the Redpath Chautauqua program, opening in Xenia Thursday afternoon, are two effectively contrasted plays—one a serious drama, Channing Pollock's "The Fool," and the other a palatable comedy, in three acts, "Applesause," written by Barry Conn.

Probably no play in the last two or three years has had the unique back ground and the high praise of critics as has "The Fool."

The unconventional theme of the piece was unappreciated by producers for some time and its presentation met with astounding success. The play gets its title from the appellation of derision—the fool—which the world "casts on the central figure in the play, a young minister in a New York church for his teachings. The play has been witnessed by more than five million people, and has been the subject of sermon and story.

To present "The Fool," the Chautauqua management is bringing to Xenia the largest play cast that has ever been used.

Quite in contrast to "The Fool" but as good in the realm of comedy as the former is in the realm of serious drama, is the bubbling comedy, "Applesause." This play had a long run of 300 performances at the La Salle Theater, Chicago, and has been outside of New York and Chicago only since May.

The play has a delightful light theme and clever lines.

"The Fool" will be presented Friday evening and "Applesause" next Tuesday evening. Both plays will be presented by casts brought directly from New York City.

The Chautauqua tent arrived late Tuesday afternoon and is being set up for the opening program Thursday afternoon, which will be offered by Harold Lewis and his Symphony Players, a group of New York musicians.

Mrs. Walter Dean, chairman of the ticket committee, asks all guarantors to turn in their money from ticket sales Wednesday or Thursday.

## ALDINE COMPANY TO PUBLISH BALLOTS

Contract for printing of 10,000 Republican, 4,000 Democratic and 14,000 state amendment ballots for the August 10 primary election in Greene County, was awarded to The Aldine Publishing Co. at a meeting of the board of elections Tuesday night.

Bid of Eckerle Printing Co. was the only other submitted to the board.

The state amendment upon which supporters of both parties will cast votes in reference to a levy for condemning land for public improvements.

Five withdrawals of candidates for the Republican County Central Committee were also accepted by the board. Withdrawals are those of George Swartz, J. H. Haverstick and Jesse Anderson from Xenia first ward; W. B. Clegg from Miami Twp., and J. F. Gordon, Jamestown.

Rev. W. W. Condon, of Urichville, O., was the recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Watt.

Prof. John A. Talcott will again head the department of music at Cedarville College this coming year. This will be Mr. Talcott's fourth year with the college. He will take the directorship of music at Antioch College next year.

Dr. W. R. McChesney gave a patriotic address Sunday afternoon at Piota at a union meeting of the churches in that city. 30,000 people attended the open air meeting.

Dr. Leo Anderson left last Thursday for Kingman, O., where he enters upon his duties as Hughes-Smith instructor in the centralized school there.

Mrs. Harry Waddle and son, Merle, of Columbus, are visiting with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Tarbox.

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## FIVE BEST RADIO FEATURES

### WEDNESDAY

WJZ, New York, (454), and WGY, Schenectady, (380), 8.25 p.m., EDT.—Opening stadium concert, New York, Philharmonic orchestra.

WOC, Davenport, (484), 9:30 p.m., CST.—Organ recital, by Ernest Swinell.

WMAQ, Chicago, (448), 9 p.m., CDT.—WMAQ Players.

WEAF Hook Up, 10 p.m., EDT.—Light opera, "The Red Hussar," WEAF Light Opera Co.

WLW, Cincinnati, (422), 8 p.m., CDT.—Music College concert.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Chicago 3-2, Pittsburgh 0-3. Brooklyn-Boston, 1-0. Others not scheduled.

GAMES TODAY

Cincinnati at St. Louis.

Philadelphia at Pittsburgh.

Brooklyn at Boston.

No others scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

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## LEGISLATION FOR TRACTION COMPANY EXPECTED TO PASS

Unless an eleventh hour hitch occurs, a development that is unexpected, the ordinance now on its first reading, granting the Dayton, Springfield and Xenia Southern Railway Co., a twenty-year renewal of its city franchise, is scheduled for passage by City Commission on Thursday night.

The dispute between the city and traction people over the financial end of reconstructing the discarded city street car route was adjusted satisfactorily at a recent joint conference with Federal Judge Smith Hickenlooper in Dayton. The car company agreed to meet demands of the commission.

There is now no obstacle in the way of passage of the franchise measure Thursday.

Ordinance will become effective in thirty days from date of passage and rebuilding of S. Detroit St. between the rails on the company's right-of-way will then begin. Paying work will probably be completed early this fall.

## POSTPONE QUOT CLUB OPENING

Formal opening of the Xenia Quoit Club grounds on E. Market St., has been postponed for two weeks in order to get the grounds in first class condition for the entertainment planned, according to an announcement Tuesday.

Date of the opening was originally tentatively set for Wednesday night, June 7.

An entertaining opening is being outlined by officers of the club. A Dayton team will probably appear for a match and in addition the committee has arranged for a lawn fete and a band concert by the Greene County Community band.

## ANNOUNCE EXAM FOR POSTAL POSITION

United States Civil Service Commission announces an open competitive examination for the positions of clerk and carrier at the Xenia Postoffice will be held at the federal building this city, soon, the date to be announced later.

Final date of submitting applications is August 11, 1926.

Application blanks and further information on the examination may be had by addressing the local postoffice. Examination is open to both men and women.

## YELLOW SPRINGS

The Daily Vacation Bible School which has been in session in the Presbyterian Church for the past five weeks closed Friday with a special program and exhibition of the work that has been done during this time. Much credit is due Mrs. William Hardman, who was in charge of the school assisted by Sunday School workers from the Presbyterian and Methodist Churches.

A program of aesthetic dancing and pantomimes will be given Friday at 8:00 p. m., at the Yellow

Adv.

## July Clearance Sale Of Pillow Cases & Sheets

### HEM STITCHED

50c Value, 42x36 in. Cases. Special	45c
60c Value, 42x36 in. Cases. Special	55c
\$1.75 Value, 63x90 in. Sheets. Special	\$1.59
\$2.00 Value, 81x90 in. Sheets. Special	\$1.79
\$2.25 Value, 81x99 in. Sheets. Special	\$1.95
40c Value, 42x36 in. Belhaven P. H. Cases. Special	33c
50c Value, 42x36 in. Belhaven H. S. Cases. Special	39c
25c Value, 42x36 in. Bleached Cases. Special, 2 for	43c
25c Value, 42x36 in. Unbleached Cases. Special, 2 for	43c
36 or 40 in. Tubing. Special	33c
42 or 45 in. Tubing. Special	39c
\$1.25 Porch Pillows. Cretonne Covered	95c
59c Porch Pillows, Cretonne Covered	49c

## Shoe Department

### JULY SALE OF SUMMER FOOT WEAR

Positively no exchanges or approvals.

About 350 pair of the season's best styles, of course the sizes are badly broken, but your size may be here. They are worth trying for at this price.

**\$3.95**

This lot is as follows: 30 pairs of tans, values up to \$7.50. The styles are one strap pumps, two strap pumps, eden ties and a few oxfords.

The remaining broken lots will go on sale at \$4.95 regardless of their former price. This lot consists of Patent One Straps, Patent Two Straps, Patent Pumps, Satin Pumps in High and Low Heels, and all of our Blonde and Gray Kid Pumps and One Straps. In fact, you can almost take your choice of any shoe in our entire stock with the exception of a few staple numbers at

**\$4.95**

A number of Children's and Misses' Shoes on tables at less than cost.

Springs Opera House for the benefit of the public library. Miss Dorothy Hartnett, of Springfield, will have charge of the program assisted by local talent.

Camp Knolls of the Y. W. C. A. opened Wednesday for the summer. The camp is located on the Grinnell Road, about two miles from Yellow Springs. Several of the young girls from town are enjoying an outing at the camp.

Dr. and Mrs. L. R. Gibbs and children, Robert and Catherine, are spending the summer in Winthrop, Mass. During their absence Mr. and Mrs. Stewart L. Tatum, of Springfield, are occupying their home in the lawn.

Dr. A. W. Vickers, of Madison, Georgia, and his daughter, Mrs. H. P. Mallory and little son, Pierce, of Orlando, Florida, spent a few days the past week with Miss Irene Hawes. The trip was made by automobile. They left for their home Sunday.

Friends and relatives of Mrs. Joe Carpenter (nee Miss Zella Allen) met at her home Wednesday noon and served a covered dish dinner. After the dinner was over the guests presented Mrs. Carpenter with a number of beautiful and useful gifts. There were about thirty.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Grove and daughters, Misses Helen and Margaret, of Marlow, Alabama, who have been visiting Mrs. T. W. Neff left Tuesday for a trip through the East.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Reinwald and little son, of Springfield, spent the week-end with Mrs. Reinwald's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Currie.

Miss Florence Pfleum, of Dayton, spent Sunday and Monday with the Misses Oster.

Miss Clara Hirst is visiting relatives in Boston, Mass.

Madden Ralston, of Dayton, spent the week-end with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. O. C. Ralston.

Mr. Walter Morgeson and little daughter, Jean, of Chicago, are the guests of her mother, Mrs. J. H. Funderburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Smith and children, of Charleston, West Va., motored here Saturday to spend the 4th with Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Ralph Figgins.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Howell are spending two weeks at Ocean Beach.

Mrs. Martha Sutton, of Dayton, spent Friday with Mrs. Norah Fry and Miss Edith Fry.

## JUICE OF LEMON WHITENS THE SKIN

The only harmless way to bleach the skin white is to mix the juice of two lemons with three ounces of Orchard White, which any druggist will supply for a few cents. Shake well in a bottle, and you have a whole quarter-pint of the most wonderful skin whitener, softener and beautifier.

Massage this sweetly fragrant lemon juice into the face, neck, arms and hands. It can not irritate. Famous stage beauties use it to bring that clear, youthful skin and a rosy-white complexion; also as a freckle, sunburn and tan bleach. You must mix this remarkable lotion yourself. It can not be bought ready to use because it acts best immediately after it is prepared.

—Adv.



# JOBES JULY CLEARANCE SALE

## Our 37th Annual Summer Clearance Sale

You will find Special Prices on our regular stock of merchandise. No goods bought especially for this Sale. Absolutely no Seconds or Irregulars. Same policy of satisfaction guarantee as usual. At these reduced prices all goods will be sold for cash—

### NO CHARGES

No change in service, goods delivered, telephone orders sent C. O. D.

**Sale Starts Thursday Morning July 8th. at 8:15 and continues until 9 P. M. Saturday July 17th.**

### JULY SALE OF HOSIERY

65c Silk and Fibre Hose in all wanted shades	49c
\$1.00 Silk and Rayon-Puncture Proof—Our promise of full satisfaction on new pair. Special	89c
\$1.50 Full Fashioned Pure Thread Silk—Wayne Knit No. 793	\$1.29
\$2.00 Full Fashioned Pure Thread Silk—Wayne Knit No. 700	\$1.69
\$2.50 No. 300 That Heavy Silk Full Fashioned Gordon Hose	\$1.95

### CHIFFON SILK HOSE

\$1.50 Wayne Knit No. 798 Full Fashioned	\$1.29
\$2.00 Gordon No. 515 Full Fashioned	\$1.69

You buy Chiffon Silk Hose at your own risk.

### CHILDREN'S HOSE

Children's White Hose. Sizes 8 to 9 1-2. To clean up

9c

Children's Socks. Sizes 6 to 7 1-2. 35c values.

3 pair for

85c

Children's Socks. Half Price. 25c values. 2 pair for

25c

Fancy Shirred Ribbon Garters. July Special, pair

39c

### SILK SCARFS REDUCED FOR JULY SALE

\$2.95 values. Special	\$2.49
\$3.95 values. Special	\$3.29
\$4.95 values. Special	\$3.95

### CHINESE PARASOLS SHOWER PROOF

\$1.00 Children's Sizes	89c
\$1.50 Women's Sizes	1.29
Japanese Parasols—	
39c Children's Sizes	33c
65c Children's Sizes	53c
75c Women's Sizes	69c
\$1.00 Women's Sizes	89c
59c Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs	49c

### PURSE SPECIAL

One lot \$1.25 and \$1.95 values. Special

95c

### TOOLED LEATHER GOODS AT 1-3 OFF

This lot consists of our entire stock of Men's Bill Folds, Key Cases, Women's Small Purses, Bobby Comb and Cases and about six Women's Hand Bags ranging in price from

**\$10. to \$22.50**

### WOMEN'S BEAD BAGS

Reduced in Price for July Sale—	\$1.49
\$2.00 Values, Sale Price	\$3.95
\$4.95 Values, Sale Price	\$4.95
\$6.50 Values, Sale Price	\$4.95

### NOTION SPECIALS

5c Hair Nets, dozen	39c
10c Hair Nets, dozen	95c
10c Palm Leaf Fans	7c
25c Woven Grass Fans	19c
10c Roll Toilet Paper, 7 rolls for	50c
25c Cando Silver Polish	19c
60c Mufti	49c

### DELONG'S PINS—SAFETY PINS—SNAPS—HOOKS AND EYES OR HAIR PINS

10c VALUES

**7c.**

Mile End Mercerized Darning Cotton, 45 yd. Spool

Black or Colors, 3 for

10c

### BEDDING AND DRAPERY DEPARTMENT

#### JULY SALE SPECIALS

##### BED SPREADS

Cotton or Rayon—in the right sizes and colors. Rose, Blue, Gold, Lavender—

\$1.95 Values, Stripe 81x90. Special

\$1.49

WEATHER--Generally fair Wednesday and Thursday; slightly warmer.

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# HEAVY RAIN STORM SWEEPS STATE

## Xenian Reported Missing; Launch Search

### BOOKKEEPER WALKS FROM OFFICE WHILE STORM SWEEPS CITY

Will Employ Radio In  
Search—Missing Man  
Took Auto

Police are searching for Clarence Stephenson, 40, Fairground Road, head bookkeeper for the Eavey Co., wholesale grocers, Detroit and Third Sts., missing for the last twenty-four hours.

Stephenson walked out of the company's office at 1:30 p. m. Tuesday when a severe rain and electrical storm was at its height and has not been seen since.

His absence was first noticed by his wife who missed him when he failed to return at the regular hour for the evening meal. Hurried inquiries were without success and she notified police.

His Dodge touring car is also missing. He drove to work in the machine and the supposition is that, affected in some way mentally by the storm, he walked from the office, entered his car and drove away.

Police were having cards bearing his description and that of his auto printed Wednesday to send to nearby cities in an effort to broaden the scope of search. It is probable his description may also be broadcast from a Cincinnati radio station.

Stephenson, it is learned, was a man of good habits, having a reserved, quiet nature, never had trouble and was considered a valued employee. He has been connected with Eavey Co. for the past three or four years, coming to Xenia from Indiana.

W. R. Harner, official of the company, is taking an active part in the search. Working on the assumption Stephenson had possibly returned to the home of his mother in Portland, Ind., Mr. Harner communicated with his mother but learned her son had not been there.

Stephenson is described as being of medium height, weighing about 148 pounds, with dark hair and eyes. When last seen he wore a dark blue suit with a fine white pin stripe, gray felt hat and tan shoes.

The Dodge touring car also missing bears license number 161-661 and engine number 963,033. It is a 1923 model. His books showed no discrepancies.

### BOARD TURNS DOWN SUPERVISION PLEA

Consideration of the employment of an assistant county school superintendent was given by Greene County Board of Education members, Tuesday, among the important matters brought up at the meeting in offices of Superintendent H. C. Aultman.

C. E. Bone, representing Xenia Twp. Board of Education, made the request that the supervision, which has been in charge of the assistant county superintendent, be continued as before.

After lengthy conference with Mr. Bone a motion prevailed by unanimous vote, that the present county superintendent, Mr. Aultman, be instructed to give such time to supervision in Xenia Twp., as may be deemed necessary and advisable by the county board and to any other township requesting such supervision. Should the demand for supervision in the several remaining townships be such as to require an assistant county superintendent, the board will then make provision. Otherwise they will not, it was decided.

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### CANDIDATE BUSY

COLUMBUS, O., July 7.—Miss Florence E. Allen, Cleveland, associate justice of the Ohio Supreme Court, is going to be kept busy during the five weeks remaining before the primary election, in her campaign for the Democratic nomination for U. S. Senator.

Miss Allen already has fifteen speaking engagements for this month.

### SEEKS RE-ELECTION

COLUMBUS, O., July 7.—Thirteen of the thirty-five members of the present Ohio Senate are not seeking re-election, according to the roster of candidates prepared by the Senate Clerk. Those retiring voluntarily include eleven Republicans and two Democrats who comprised the minority delegation.

## CHILD DROWNS IN CISTERNS

Mussolini and King Study Farm Problems



Premier Mussolini (centre) and King Victor Emanuel (right) visited Italian farmers to keep in touch with agricultural conditions.

### ARRESTS RESULT IN DISCOVERY OF LOST GIRLS IN CHICAGO

Fake Beauty Contest  
Agency Unearthed  
By Police

CHICAGO, July 7.—Three white men and two negroes now are accused in statements of thirty-seven white girls and young women who were lured to a hotel by a beauty contest advertisement. In the course of preparation for their work the girls learned it was required that they be examined by the two negroes as to their physical fitness. Authorities believe they have struck a trail in the search for many girls reported missing in recent months.

More than 300 names of girls with addresses and telephone numbers were found when the room at the hotel was raided. Detectives found several photographs of girls who had posed for the negroes, Harris Holmes, 39 years old and Walter Crawford, 24.

The white men booked by police are Vernon Ondell, 27, draftsman, who says he sought a "side line" with money in it; Joe H. Williams, 25, street car conductor, whose contributions to the enterprise, it is alleged, entitled him to its Presidency, and a man named Briggs, who has not been apprehended.

Ondell says Williams and Briggs came to him, according to police, and collected \$47 toward the success of the Admiration Products Company adventure, with beauty contests as a side issue. He was made manager, it is said, while Williams, who contributed \$60 more, was made President.

Two girls who went to the hotel in answer to the advertisement said they were first required to pay \$3 for dancing lessons. When they declined drinks they were loaded into a car, taken to a point near their homes and put out. Their parents then notified police and the raid followed.

### MISSING MAN FOUND HANGED IN DRESS

CHICAGO, July 7.—The body of George Dauphin, 51 years old, married, who had been missing for three weeks, was found today hanging in the carpenter shop of his brother. The shop had not been visited during that time, because the brother had no work there, odor causing the finding today.

A mysterious angle of the hanging is that Dauphin's body was dressed in woman's clothing, even to wig, suede shoes and form reducing appliances. Due to the long time between death and finding the body was almost unrecognizable.

Authorities are investigating on the theory that it may be a case of murder instead of self-destruction. The brothers and widow are unable to give any explanation of the mysterious death and the grotesque garb.

### ROBBERS BIND MEN AND BLOW UP SAFE

PERTH AMBOY, N. Y., July 7.—Ten robbers this morning invaded the plant of Castle Ice Cream Company on the outskirts of the town and overpowered the six employees on duty.

The men were bound and placed in a rear room, while the robbers blew open the office safe. Between \$20,000 and \$30,000 was taken.

The robbers escaped. Later on one of the victims managed to loosen his bonds and notify police.

### TELEPHONE LINES SUFFER WHEN SEVERE STORM STRIKES XENIA

Service Interrupted When Lightning Burns Out  
Cable—Toll Lines Cut Off—Darkness  
Accompanies Rain

For thirty minutes Xenia and vicinity experienced probably the most severe electrical and rain storm of the season Tuesday afternoon, although slight damage was reported.

Darkness of night prevailed with accompanying racing north wind and swirling rain which sent the temperature tumbling nearly twenty degrees in half an hour.

When the storm had subsided it was found the Ohio Bell Telephone Co. had suffered the heaviest damage. According to H. W. Cleaver, commercial manager, telephone lines were the greatest sufferers.

Long distance service from

### PRESIDENT HAPPY ON VACATION TRIP

ABOARD PRESIDENT'S TRAIN  
EN ROUTE TO SUMMER  
WHITE HOUSE, July 7.—Speeding on the way to White Pine in the Adirondacks, the executive party is expected to arrive at Gabrielle, N. Y., today whence it will continue by motor.

A brand new observation car, the latest in railway transportation, carries the President and Mrs. Coolidge. It is provided with four sleeping compartments and fitted with every possible comfort. Other cars of the speeding train carry the regular complement of attaches and servants. A severe thunderstorm beat on the train as it sped through southern Pennsylvania last night, but the President was in high spirits, breaking his usual reserve to chat at dinner—which he seldom does—and later watching a motion picture in the presidential car.

Officials of the Dayton Power and Light Co. reported no material damage aside from burning out of several fuses in transformers. Power was not cut off despite the heavy rain and wind and lightning damage.

No reports of crop damage over the county were received at the Greene County Farm Bureau.

Because of the darkness which descended upon the city, automobiles were forced to use headlights, office employees resorted to electric lights and streets of Xenia presented a night time appearance.

### BLAME ALLIGATOR FOR SENSATION

ATHENS, O., July 7.—When a three foot alligator ran across the road in front of a local motorist a mild sensation resulted.

A search has not uncovered the reptile, but it is known that two years ago a baby gator escaped from a local home.

### SUBWAY STRIKERS ENLIST L WORKS

NEW YORK, July 7.—The second day of New York's subway strike opened with strikers announcing that elevated railway employees, joining their ranks, would leave their trains today and the Interborough Rapid Transit Company simultaneously proclaiming a "war to the finish."

The public meanwhile joined in another unhappy scramble to work, getting down town by roundabout ways or on the I. R. T. services which the company said were functioning at 60 per cent normal.

Six hundred and twenty men have qualified for the posts left vacant by striking motormen and switchmen and the company is training 175 more non-union men, 125 of whom arrived from western cities last night.

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### PANIC CAUSED

BOSTON, July 7.—Between 400 and 500 persons in a motion picture theater here were thrown into a panic today when a huge slab of plaster fell from the ceiling into the orchestra pit. More than a score of women fainted in the stampede for the doors. Others were jostled and bruised.

Sheriff Morris Sharp was in

DAYTON, O., July 7.—Patricia Maloney, crossing watchman, was killed when he stepped into the path of a Baltimore and Ohio switch engine here.

FIRE LOSS \$20,000

FOSTORIA, O., July 7.—"Old Dan" Cupid, has been busy here during the month of June. A total of twenty-two marriage licenses were issued as compared with fourteen last year.

CUPID WAS BUSY

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RAVENNA, O., July 7.—Warren

Bowers, 85, is dead here from injuries received when an automobile turned over.

DAMAGE ESTIMATED  
MORE THAN MILLION  
FROM WIND AND RAIN

Dayton Struck Hard And  
Communication Cut  
Off

COLUMBUS, July 7.—Heavy rain and wind storms which swept the state yesterday caused damage estimated today at \$1,200,000 and the injury of two persons.

Columbus, Dayton and Cincinnati were the hardest hit, water and lightning damage running high in each city.

The spire of St. Dominic's Catholic Church here toppled over when lightning shattered it.

Over \$100,000 damage was recorded in Dayton. Cincinnati's damage will run over \$75,000. Lightning struck the denaturing plant of the Federal Products Company there exploding 10,000 gallons of alcohol.

A downfall of .73 inches of rain soaked Columbus, most of it falling within an hour. Dayton's rainfall 1.91 inches, was beneficial to parched lawns and dry gardens.

The two injured as a result of the storm were Lewis Chenoweth, 28, Grove City and William Gashow.

Chenoweth was in real estate office here using a telephone when the line was struck by lightning.

Young Gashoweth was struck while he was seated in a swing in front of his home. High winds accompanying the heavy rain uprooted trees and shrubs causing minor damage to buildings and telephone lines. The rain flooded cellars and low-lying buildings.

The storm in Dayton snapped all telephone and telegraph wires and all means of communication with the city were shut off during the afternoon.

Serious damage to crops in southwestern Ohio also resulted from the storm, wheat and tobacco crops suffering especially. The damage in Montgomery County is crops was estimated at \$25,000.

Zanesville experienced one of the most severe rain and electrical storms encountered this season. During the storm, Albert Shank and Miss Etha Wirk, employees of the American Tiling Company were knocked unconscious by lightning.

### FIVE ARRAIGNED ON LIQUOR OFFENSES; FOUR GIVEN FINES

\$250 a Week for Countess



Mrs. Aedita Fisher, wife of H. C. "Bud" Fisher, the cartoonist, was granted \$250 a week pending her suit for separation in New York courts. She was formerly Countess de Beaumont.

### SNOW SLIDES BLOCK CHILE-ARGENTINE TRAFFIC IS REPORT

Tunnels Choked By Snow  
In Worst Storm In  
Years

SANTIAGO, Chile, July 7.—Chile to Argentina transportation is blocked by the greatest snowstorm in twenty years. Hundreds of commercial travelers and others are detained at Los Andes and Mendoza, while rotary plows on both sides are grinding through the Cordilleras.

Condition of Miss Fitzgerald, who is in Miami Valley Hospital Dayton, with a fractured skull sustained when she leaped from the bandit car which she had been forced to enter at the point-of-a gun, was reported improved Wednesday, although she is still unable to carry on a conversation, or be interviewed.

Sheriff Sharp is co-operating with Montgomery County authorities in the search for the alleged kidnapper but no clew has been uncovered to clear up the identity of the bandit.

Many are intending to journey to Buenos Aires by way of the Magellan or La Paz. Meantime the rainstorms at Valparaiso and Santiago are clearing but threatening, while authorities are listing the great damage on the coast which was done last week.

This morning the worst snow slide in years, 200 meters long and ten deep, massed with rocks, smothered the tracks near Mendoza.

Two little girls were dead here today, the victims of what two boys intended to be a joke.

The girls, Dorothy and Ruth Lambing, were killed when an automobile, its brakes loosened by the boys, plunged down a hill into the Lambings home.

Dorothy and Ruth with other children were sitting in their porch swing and did not see the car as it began its mad plunge.

Only one of the children escaped injury.

### GIRLS KILLED BY BOYS' JOKE

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## EDITORIAL

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## BLAME THE AUTOMOBILE

The Chicago piano manufacturer who views with alarm the growing demand for automobiles is to be excused for his pionkey state of mind, but all will not agree with him that the American home was destroyed when the public transferred their monthly payments from the piano to the automobile. When one's own little world falls upon his head it is only natural to proclaim the collapse of the universe, and this is the case with the piano business which has suffered much in competition with the automobile, phonograph and radio.

This is a great nation, its wealth is fabulous. Apparently it can spend \$14,000,000,000 a year for automobiles and hardly notice the expense. Even after spending this huge sum for motoring the American public is paying \$112,000,000 a year for pianos and many times that amount for phonographs, radios and other musical instruments, more and better homes and luxurious furnishings for those homes.

It is possible that a piano has ceased to make a home, although there was a time in the dim past beyond recall when the home was not complete without one. Before the piano, the organ was a necessary attribute of the household, and its discard can be traced to the piano. No doubt the organ manufacturers when they saw their business being taken from them by the piano makers, predicted economic ruin for the nation if the people continued to mortgage their homes and encumber their incomes to buy costly pianos.

There will always be a large demand for the piano. It may not be the first piece of furniture to enter the home of the future but sooner or later it will be coveted in a great majority of those homes. The self-pitying one from Chicago is living in the past when a piano represented the savings of a lifetime of the average family. Today millions of families are able to save from one year's income sufficient money to buy an automobile representing the market value of two or more pianos.

## THE PERIODICAL INVESTIGATION

Consumption of gasoline during the first four months of this year exceeded that of any similar period—more than 20 per cent greater than first quarter consumption last year.

Surplus stocks have been greatly reduced, and an unusually heavy summer demand is expected. A slight increase in price of crude oil and gasoline has resulted from these unsurpassed demands, and the senate has directed the Federal Trade Commission to investigate the situation, alleging price-fixing methods.

This may result in much testimony being taken during the summer, but the industry appears to have become accustomed to these investigations, as they have been in almost continuous progress since the close of the war. They all cost taxpayers money, but they furnish campaign material and jobs for public employees.

## Today's Talk

## TO BE A TREE

I know nothing about reincarnation, excepting what I have read or learned of its meaning. But it is beautiful to think that these souls of ours go on and on—after they have played about in this

Many of the ancients believed that they would live in sorts of animals and plants and things.

It is a nice speculative thought to have this body someday fall in the sap of the ground and work its way into a tree, climb the branches, spreading out and touching leaves until they form into their beautiful shapes giving color and beauty to the landscape about, or perhaps here and there giving nourishment to a group of flowers that later ripen into fruit for bird or beast of man.

Just sit under a tree during a storm and note how it blends its leaves and branches with the surface of this earth.

I wouldn't mind being a beautiful tree!

## SURGEONS RESTORE BOY'S FACE HALF BLOWN OFF BY EXPLOSION

SYDNEY, July 3.—Two years ago a nine-year-old boy in a Victorian township had the lower half of his face blown away by the accidental discharge of a shotgun, and today thanks to the skill of an Adelaide surgeon, he has a new half-face.

The surgeon, Dr. Simpson Newland, gained a worldwide reputation by his surgical achievements in the World War and the British Government endeavored to retain his services in England, but Newland returned to Australia in order that his services should be available to Australian soldiers if they were needed. But the operation on the boy is said to be more remarkable than any he performed in war hospitals.

Newland took pieces of flesh from various parts of the boy's body, and began the work of building up a foundation for the missing half of the boy's face. Six operations were spread over a year before the boy began to resemble his former self.

In the last operation the doctor cut two strips of skin from the boy's temple over the forehead, and up on to the skull. These he laid back, and turning them, brought them down around the flesh that he had built up as a chin. The skin grew and so did

some of the roots of hair contained in it. The 11-year-old boy is growing a beard.

In a few weeks' time will come the last operation. Newland will take out one of the boy's ribs, and fashion it into a complete lower jawbone. This will be let into the built-up flesh and grafted on to the ends of the original jawbone, which was blown completely off at the last tooth in the lower jaw. This is said to be comparatively simple, and the success of the whole operation is assured.

## WILL BUILD CHURCH FOR LATEST SAINT

ROME, July 7.—Saint Teresa of the Bambini Jesus, the latest of the saints, whose canonization took place only last year is to have a church built and dedicated in her honor in the Sebastian quarter of Rome.

Saint Teresa is the youngest saint of the century, and is the object of great honor and devotion among French Catholics, having been born at Lisieux, France.

## National Tortoise And Hare



## 1906-Twenty Years Ago-1926

Mr. Arthur Thrall will leave soon with a friend, Mr. Jenkins, for North Dakota, where they expect to spend the summer on a ranch.

Xenia Clippers were defeated 8 to 5 by the Springfield Tecumseh Park nine. Bill pitched.

The Springfield Cadet Band will help enliven things at the ex-pupils reunion at the O. S. and S. O. Home this week.

Mr. Herman Eavey is spending a few days at Put-in-Bay, where he is enjoying a little outing and attending a convention of coal dealers.



## TOMORROW'S MENU

Breakfast: Cherries, Cereal, Creamed Dried Beef, Muffins, Coffee  
Luncheon: Deviled Tomatoes on Toast, Wholewheat Bread, Left-Over Prunes, Cookies, Iced Tea  
Dinner: Sliced Left-Over Lamb, Meat Relish, Rice Croquettes, Peas, Lettuce, French Dressing, Raspberry Shortcake, Coffee  
ANSWERS TO INQUIRIES

Mrs. H. R.: "Is there any way to dry-clean curtains? Mine do not seem soiled enough for laundering?"

Answer: I would advise you to launder them. I do not think an attempt to dry-clean them would be very successful. At least it would be no less trouble than washing them.

Mrs. M. S.: "How are ants driven from the kitchen?"

Answer: The United States Department of Agriculture publishes a Farmer's Bulletin, (No. 740), entitled "House Ants," which is free to all who write to Washington, D. C., for it, addressing their letter simply to "U. S. Dept. of Agriculture." This excellent bulletin explains many ways of exterminating the red and the black ant, both by killing the pests with poison baits, such as a sponge moistened with sweetened water and then plunging the sponge into boiling water to kill the ants. It also warns the housewife against leaving food about on shelves or other open spaces. Other methods are the following:

1. Place the legs of the refrigerator, kitchen table and kitchen cabinet in saucers or pans containing water, then pour kerosene oil on top of the water—to keep pests (both ants and roaches) from getting onto kitchen furniture.

2. Have your druggist fix you a five per cent carbolic acid solution and put this in an oil can, the nozzle of which will go into cracks and crevices. This is a POISON, so should not be used in a home where there are chil-

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## Society-Personal-Clubs

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## DINNER PARTY ON BIRTH ANNIVERSARY

A three-course dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Osborne, Sunday, in honor of Mr. Osborne's birthday. Those who enjoyed the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Osborne, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Starke, and three children, Mr. Harold Method, all of near Waynesville and Mrs. Emerson Ditt, Dayton.

## TOWNSHIP SEWING CLUB HOLDS MEETING

Sewing Club of Xenia Twp., met at the home of Mrs. J. A. Hutchinson, Tuesday afternoon. The regular business meeting was held when plans were made for the Greene County Fair work and the name "The Worth While Club," selected.

The girls spent the afternoon sewing. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. F. P. Hastings, Tuesday afternoon, July 13.

Miss Evelyn Anders and Miss Erma Glass, Miami University, spent the week end at their home, Alpha. Miss Betty Hill, Fletcher, was their week end guest.

Miss Ruth Hadley, 628 Woodlawn Ave., Springfield, entertained with an afternoon bridge party, Monday, honoring Miss Betty Laist, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Laist, this city, who plans to leave soon for an extended tour of Europe.

Earl Short, Jr., W. Market St., is spending the week in West Liberty, O., with relatives.

Miss Rachel Dice, seriously injured her right eye, when she was struck by pebbles from a "torpedo" during a Fourth of July celebration. Dr. Reed Madden is attending the injured eye and making every attempt to save her sight.

Mrs. George L. White, W. Market St., has as her guest, Mrs. Jennie Curtis, El Paso, Tex., who stopped in Xenia enroute home after a visit in New York City.

Mr. Samuel Ellis, Wilmington Pike, is recovering from an attack of grip from which he has been ill several days.

David Short, W. Market St., is spending a few days in Wilmington, the guest of Mr. Bert Morris.

Young son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Oglesbee, Wilmington Pike, is ill with an attack of toxemia.

Mrs. Charles O'Brien and infant son, Charles Jr., N. King St., spent the week end and the Fourth with relatives in Northside, Cincinnati.

Miss May Orr is enjoying a vacation from The Citizens' National Bank and is on a conducted tour East. She will stop at Cleveland, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, New York and Philadelphia in addition to a lake trip and down the Hudson River.

Billy and Bobbie Crawford, little sons of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Crawford, S. Detroit St., are recovering from severe attacks of ear and throat trouble. Billy, the older has been ill with a complication but is now improving. Bobbie's illness has been confined to his throat. Both have been ill ten days.

Little Miss Elizabeth Hendlen, Wilmington Pike, has returned home after a two weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rinehart, Dayton.

Mrs. Sadie Reed, Los Angeles, Calif., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George O. Bane, near Jamestown.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thomas, Yellow Springs, have received an announcement of the birth of a son, Eugene William, to their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sprague, Scranton, Pa. This is Mr. and Mrs. Sprague's second child, their other child, a girl, being two years old.

Mrs. Lawrence Davis, W. Second St., received serious burns to her right hand and arm, when a miniature "volcano" exploded while Mrs. Davis was visiting her sister, Mrs. Albert Sanders, Jamestown, Monday. The fireworks had failed to flare when a match was first applied and when Mrs. Davis touched it with a second match, it exploded. She received second degree burns from the tips of her fingers above her hand, the upper part of the arm being less seriously burned. She is confined to bed at her sister's home.

Mrs. M. C. Reeves, seamstress, Gazette Building, fractured her left arm and dislocated several fingers of her left hand when she suffered an attack of vertigo, Sunday, at her home, and fell.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Marshall, Newcomerstown, O., and Mr. W. L. Marshall, Columbus, spent the past week end with Mr. and Mrs. James Hawkins, near Xenia.

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## WOMAN AND BABE INJURED WHEN MACHINES COLLIDE ALONG PIKE

Mistaking the friendly wave of the driver of an oncoming auto as a signal he was about to stop, C. G. Andrews, Westboro, O., swerved his machine to the left creating a head-on collision in which four persons were slightly injured at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday two miles southeast of Xenia on the Washington Pike.

Mrs. Olive Pendell and nine-months-old child, who occupied the front seat of a touring car owned and driven by her husband, Nathan Pendell R. R. 1, Xenia, were hurled through the windshield but escaped with minor cuts and bruises about the face and head. Four other children in the rear seat were unharmed.

Two women who occupied the sedan owned and driven by Andrews, whose names were not learned, were also slightly hurt in the crash. Andrews, who is said to room with them, did not reveal their identity.

Dr. W. H. Finley, Xenia, called to the scene of the accident, ad-

ministered first aid treatment to Mrs. Pendell and her child.

Both cars were wrecked. The sedan overturned in a ditch but the touring car, although also hurled into a ditch, remained upright.

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## MT. TABOR

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Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and family motored to Indianapolis, Saturday, and remained over to spend the Fourth with their son, Luther and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hollingsworth and daughter, Pauline, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Foster Hollingsworth, Dayton.

Ernestine Jones spent several days last week with her cousin, Freda Trout, of Mt. Carmel.

Roy Hook and family of New Jasper, spent Sunday with Mrs. Hook's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jones.

Stanley Jones spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Marion DeVoe, of Lutterell.

At the church, Sunday evening, the 11th, Sunday School at 6:30 o'clock, followed by preaching.

The Loyal Sons' and Daughters' Sunday School classes will hold their monthly class meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Jones, Tuesday evening the 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Smith and family spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Beal and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wolary spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. John McKenzie, of near Sabina.

## HEAVY DAMAGE IS CAUSED BY STORM

Mr. Clark Poland, W. Main St., underwent a delicate operation performed behind his car necessitated by poison in his system setting there. He has been seriously ill with the trouble some time but is now recovering.

Quarterly conference which was to have been held at First M. E. Church, Wednesday night, has been postponed until after Chautauqua.

Miss Dena Mills and Mrs. Mamie Stillwell, Dayton, spent Wednesday with Miss Mill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Mills near Cedarville. Miss Mills is leaving Friday for Michigan to spend two months at a summer resort.

Mrs. Robert Murray, N. Detroit St., was removed to the Miami Hospital, Dayton, Wednesday, preparatory to an operation, Thursday.

Miss Helen Howard, of God's Bible School, Cincinnati, spent the week end and the Fourth with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Strain will today at the J. F. F. Club at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Strain, Van Eaton Road, Friday evening. Members are asked to bring a half dozen bananas.

Mrs. Martha McClellan, Mrs. C. S. Dean, Mr. Russell Dean, Mr. Charles Miller and Mrs. Adda Oglesbee motored to Newton Falls, O., Thursday and remained until Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dean.

EAST END NEWS  
MRS. JAMES HARRIS  
Correspondent  
TEL. 91-R

Woman's Relief Corps, No. 223, held a program Monday afternoon on the lawn at 40 Taylor St. Forty East End children were on the program, which included a flag drill, songs and other drills. The children gave a pledge to the flag after singing "America." The lawn was decorated with flags and bunting. The corps wishes to thank the friends and parents for letting their children participate. Officers of the corps are: Mrs. Hattie Spencer, president; Mary Roman, chaplain; Fannie Garrett, guard; Josie Winal, secretary.

## WINS CREDGE PRIZE

COLUMBUS, O., July 7.—Robert Lobes, of Cleveland, has won first place in the American Legion's contest among school children of Ohio for an inspirational and vigorously patriotic flag creed, according to information received here by James F. Corrigan, Department Americanism chairman.

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THIS ACRESAGE I AM OFFERING YOU AND IN LESS THAN FIVE YEARS YOU'LL BE ASKING MORE FOR EACH LOT THAN I AM ASKING YOU TO PAY FOR AN ACRE - I AM OFFERING YOU THIS PROPERTY AT A ROCK BOTTOM PRICE - TAKE MY WORD YOU'LL REGRET IT IF YOU ALLOW THIS OPPORTUNITY TO ESCAPE -

IT'S ONLY A QUESTION OF TIME WHEN THEY'LL BUILD A RAILROAD ADJOINING THIS PROPERTY - THEN TRY TO BUY IT -

PEOPLE I REPRESENT HAVE BEEN DOING BUSINESS IN THIS CITY FOR THIRTY YEARS AND NONE OF OUR INVESTORS EVER LOST A DOLLAR -

LEAVE A DESCRIPTION AND I'LL LET YOU KNOW IF I'M INTERESTED -

SIDNEY SMITH

## The Theatre

It is not the theater which pollutes the audience, but the audience which pollutes the theater. Today, the first class theater, the legitimate theater of fine tradition and pure artistic expression—as distinguished from the faddist, exotic theaters, which by presenting novel forms of drama with daring, morbid themes have gained a temporary vogue—is fighting for its very existence.

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the Fourth with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Buell, and sons, Robert and Lewis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Faulkner.

The convention was welcomed by Mrs. Luella White of the Wilberforce branch and Mrs. S. B. Hogan, of Cadiz, Ohio, made the response. President G. H. Jones

on behalf of the university and Bishop J. H. Jones of the Third

Episcopal district delivered welcome addresses.

Inspiring reports were made by

Mrs. Turner, of Mt. Vernon, Ohio, for the mother's department. Mrs. Jameson of Columbus, Ohio, spoke encouragingly of temperance work and urged the women of the state to do their duty at the polls. Mrs. Mack, of Urbana, Ohio, read on "Mothers and Missions" which brought about a very lively discussion by the women.

Walter Edwards and family, of Dayton, spent a few hours in the vicinity Sunday.

An unknown man suffered a broken leg Sunday night when an automobile of which he was an occupant, turned over on the curve at White's Corner.

Ohmer Tate, candidate for sheriff at the August primary, and Paul Crosswell, deputy auditor, were here rounding up the Republican voters, Friday night.

Mrs. Clysta Buckles visited her son, Dallas Buckles, and family, in Xenia, Sunday.

Attorney F. L. Johnson was in town on legal business Wednesday.

Scott Hopkins' fingers are decorated with white rags as the result of getting them too near an exploding firecracker.

Bellbrook journeyed to Beavertown last Sunday and for an opening game administered the same kind of medicine which gave the closing game of last year to the Bellbrook boys. The visitors played with all the exuberance of time tried veterans but for a little mussup in the eighth inning which caused Beavertown to score two runs. Score 4 to 2. The Bellbrook line-up was as follows: Cramer 1st B.; Zimmerman 2nd B.; Sackett 3rd B.; Crowell S. S.; Darbyshire L. F.; Mills C. F.; Sidenstricker R. F.; Pitcher, Helldorff, Cadiz, Ohio, and Mrs. Bunch.

The place for holding the session next year will be named by the executive board.

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GREENE COUNTY'S  
GREATEST  
CLEARANCE  
SALE STARTS  
July 9th

# JULY CLEAR

Starts Friday Morning at 8 A. M. And Lasts

## SAVINGS!

Good quality percales. Light or dark patterns. Yard wide. Clearance Sale price, per yd.

131-2c

Pretty patterns fine dress gingham's. 32 inches wide. Clearance Sale price, per yard

131-2c

Blue denim. Regular width. 32 inches wide. Clearance Sale price, per yard

24c

9-4 Bleached Pepperell Sheeting. Regular 55c quality. Clearance Sale Price, per yard

43c

9-4 Unbleached Pepperell Sheeting. Regular 48c quality. Clearance Sale Price, per yard

39c

42 inch Bleached Pepperell Pillow Tubing. Regular 37c value. Clearance Sale price, per yard

29c

A dandy good grade apron gingham. In many colored checks. Regular 13c value. Clearance Sale price per yard

9c

Large dotted voiles, now so popular. Yard wide. Regular 48c value. Clearance Sale price

39c

Rondeau Charmeuse dress fabric. Very pretty patterns. Yard wide. Regular 79c value. Clearance Sale price, per yard

59c

Whiteo Printz, the dress material that retains its lustre after many washings. Regular 50c value. Clearance Sale Price, per yard

39c

Children's mercerized half hose. Pretty color combinations. 25c values. Clearance Sale price, per pr.

19c

Children's Rayon silk half hose. Bright colors. 50c values. Clearance Sale price

29c



## COATS MUST GO

Your Unrestricted Choice Of Any Coat In Our Store



Coats in a great sale that reach the peak in value-giving. Every coat a new Spring and Summer model in the newest styles and colors—but you'll have to come early. Your choice of our entire coat stock at one-half off.

FLARES

STRAIGHT-LINES

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FUR-TRIMMED

NEW COLORS

1/2  
OFF

## ALL PRICES TORN TO SHREDS

### BATHING SUITS

Men and Women's cotton bathing suits. Blue with red or white trimmings. Regular 69c value. July Clearance price

49c

### HANDKERCHIEFS

Plain white dress handkerchiefs or red or blue work handkerchiefs. All go in our great July Clearance Sale at

31-2c

### DRESS SOX

Men's dress sox at a price that is seldom equaled. Good quality. Regular 12 1/2c values go in this Clearance Sale at

3 prs. 25c

### CROCHET COTTON

O. N. T. Crochet Cotton in both white and ecru colors. All sizes. Regular 10c value go in the Clearance Sale at

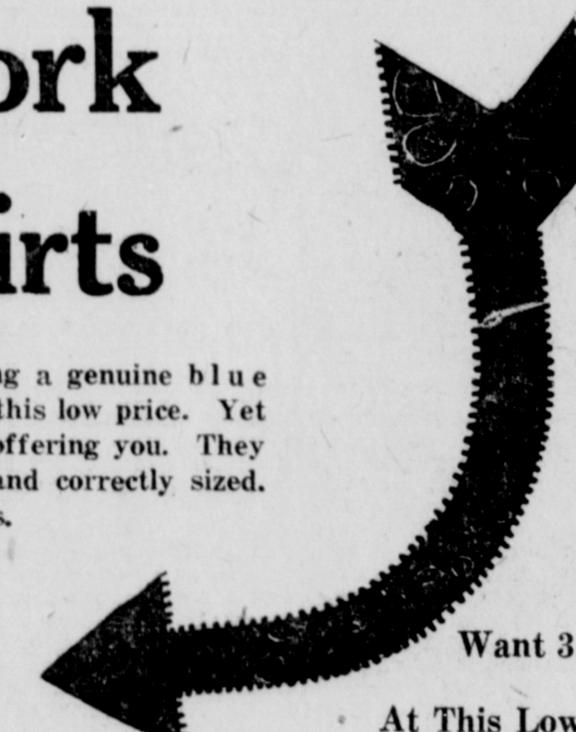
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### MEN! LOOK AT THIS GENUINE BLUE CHAMBRAY

## Work Shirts

Men! just imagine buying a genuine blue chambray work shirt at this low price. Yet that's just what we are offering you. They are well made, full cut and correctly sized. We have them in all sizes.

45c



Men

You'll

Want 3 or 4

At This Low Price!

## Your Choice of Hats



Your choice on any Spring or Summer hat in our store at this

**\$1.19**

one low price. Included are hats that originally sold to \$4.95. Imagine buying them now at \$1.19. Choose early while selections are best.

19c

Women's summer gauze vests. Strap or tailored tops. Regular 25c value. In this great July Clearance Sale they go at

79c

Men's balbriggan union suits. Short sleeves, ankle length. \$1.00 values. Also \$1.00 athletic union suits. To clean up at

35c

Boys' good quality nainsook athletic union suits. In all sizes. Regular 50c values. Reduced for our July Clearance Sale to

35c

Special for men. Porous knit union suits. Most comfortable for summer wear. Regular 89c values. Reduced for this sale to

59c

Men's good grade athletic union suits. In all sizes. Our regular 50c grades. All go into this great Clearance Sale at

39c

Women's summer knit union suits. Open or closed style. All sizes. Regular 50c value. Reduced for this sale to

39c

Men's work sox. Good quality especially good summer wear. 10c grade. clean up in this sale at

39c

This huge stock of summer goods is now on the market and profit have been entirely forgotten—prices have dropped to prices that will be the sensation of all Greene County. Your dollars will do double duty here as never before. Of bargains to be found here. Come prepared to be disappointed! Starting Friday morning and lasting

Smashing Prices In  
The Sensation of

### BROWN MUSLIN

39 Inches Wide

8c yd.

Ladies' crepe bloomers in plain colors or figured. Regular 50c values. Reduced for our July Clearance Sale to

39c

\$1.49

Women's and Misses' attractive new novelty print dresses. All sizes. Regular \$1.95 value reduced for this Clearance Sale to

8c

Women's Rayon silk hose in all the new summer shades. All sizes. Regular 50c value go into this great Clearance Sale at

35c

Men here's what you have wanted. A good weight canvas glove. Fine for summer use. Out they go at per pair

7c

7c

Women's princess slips cheaper than you could buy the material. Regular 50c value. Marked down in our great Clearance Sale to

39c

Women's and Misses' stylish afternoon and street dress on many pretty fabrics. Regular \$2.95 values, reduced for this sale to

\$2.45

REMEMBER THE PLACE—DON'T BE M  
XENIA BARGAIN STORE

# CLEARANCE SALE

BY ALL MEANS  
BE HERE  
DROP EVERYTHING  
ELSE AND COME  
July 9th

## 10 Days-Be Here When The Doors Open

gain block for quick and decisive clearance. Cost been hammered down to rock-bottom—new low yet nothing keep you away if you value money for is page can give but a small idea of the thousands many, many dollars, and we promise you'll not be throughout ten bargain packed selling days.

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ll Greene County

O. N. T.  
THREAD  
31-2c

omen's fine princess slips in  
in muslin and colors. Some  
embroidered. \$1.00 values.  
duced for this sale to

85c

All 10c ric racs, edge trims,  
braids, etc. all go out in the  
great July Clearance Sale at  
only

8c

g's knee pants in fine ma-  
ials. Sizes to 16. Regular  
ues to \$1.19. Reduced for  
great Clearance Sale to

89c

Bib aprons with cap to match.  
Of fine quality percales or  
ginghams. Regular 89c value.  
Clearance Sale price

69c

hildren's full length hose in  
ick, brown and light colors.  
All sizes. Reduced for this  
y Clearance Sale to

21c

Children's bloomer dresses in  
pretty new prints. Regular  
\$1.00 value. In the great Clear-  
ance Sale at

79c

pecial lot of women's  
use summer union suits.  
regular 39c values. Small  
izes only. Out they go at

23c

Large size Turkish bath towels.  
Regular 50c values. To be sold in this July Clearance  
Sale at

39c

inch suit cases in either  
ick or brown. Re-inforced  
corners. \$1.25 value. Clear-  
ance Sale price

95c

ack traveling bags. Substan-  
all made. Regular \$1.25  
ue. Clearance Sale price

98c

inch suit cases, WITH  
CRAPS. In either black or  
own. \$1.69 value. Clearance  
Sale price only

\$1.38

Columbia Window Shades.  
Strictly first quality. 6 ft.  
long. Color, Dark Green. To be  
sold in the great Clearance  
Sale at

49c

Women's under-arm pocket  
books. In all the new shapes  
and designs. \$1.00 values.  
Clearance Sale price

88c

Very fine grade table damask.  
Our regular 59c grade to be  
cleanned up in this sale at, per  
yard

49c

Khaki denim. Very good  
grade. Full width. Regular 29c  
value. Clearance Sale price,

Good quality 36 inch white  
outing. Regular 25c values.  
Clearance Sale price, per yard

19c

17c

### You Will Be Amazed At These Wonderful Dress Values!



Every dress in our stock is included in this great July Clearance Sale. Dresses of fine silks, crepes, and many other fine materials. All are made in the newest styles. Flares, straight lines, pleats and many new novel ways of trimming. In all colors. All sizes.

\$7.45 DRESSES

MUST GO AT

**\$4.69**

\$9.90 DRESSES

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**\$6.95**

### The Sale That Knows No Competition

#### Genuine Broadcloth SHIRTS

#### Regular \$1.25 Values

Genuine broadcloth shirts with collar attached—offered you in this great July Clearance Sale. They are neatly made of good quality broadcloth. In two colors, tan and white. All sizes. Come early, we have but a limited quantity to sell.

**79c**

Your choice of any Misses' coat in our store. During this July Clearance Sale they will all be sold at ONE-HALF PRICE.

29c

Very pretty patterns table damask. Our regular 49c quality. In this great Sale, it goes at, per yard

39c

Feather Ticking that is guaranteed feather-proof. Our regular 45c grade. Clearance Sale price, per yard

39c

Columbia Window Shades Strictly first quality. 6 ft. long. Color, Dark Green. Out they go in this great Clearance Sale at

59c

Good quality 36 inch white outing. Regular 25c values. Clearance Sale price, per yard

17c

Women's crepe gowns in plain colors only. Regular 50c values. To clean up in this great Clearance Sale at

39c

Women's fancy figured crepe gowns or plain white lace trimmed muslin gowns. Regular \$1.00 values are reduced in this sale to

79c

New attractive patterns in boys percale blouses. Pretty stripes and small checks. Regular 50c values must go at

35c

Women's bungalow aprons in dark and light color percales or new novelty prints. Regular \$1.00 value. July Clearance Sale price

79c

17c

Fine new patterns of kimono crepe. Regular 35c values. Clearance sale price, per yard

25c

A special lot of extra nice curtain scrims. Regular 25c quality. Clearance Sale price, per yard

15c

121-2c

Boys' wash suits in both one and 2 piece suits. Regular 98c values. Clearance Sale price

79c

\$1.29

Plain colors in underwear crepe. Regular 25c values. Clearance sale price, per yard

21c

### Another Winner

#### BIG 6 OVERALLS

#### OR CHOICE OF JACKETS TO MATCH

Men! here's another hot one. BIG 6 OVERALL at a new low price. The quality is the best, none better. All are made of 220 weight denim, triple stitched, heavy bar tacked, big and roomy and sized correctly. You'll want several pairs at this unheard of low price. Jackets to match at the same price.

**\$1.12**

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# Classified Advertising Page

THE EVENING GAZETTE, WEDNESDAY, JULY 7, 1926.



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TO 1-1-1

THE GAZETTE-REPUBLICAN  
XENIA'S "WANT AD"  
HEADQUARTERS

DAILY RATE PER LINE FOR CONSECUTIVE  
INSCRIPTIONS. CASH CHARGE  
ONE DAY..... .01 .08  
THREE DAYS..... .03 .09  
ONE DAY..... .01 .10  
ADVERTISEMENTS ARE SUBJECT TO  
PROPER CLASSIFICATION, SIZE AND  
TYPE. THE RIGHT IS RESERVED BY THE  
PUBLISHERS TO EDIT OR REJECT ANY  
ADVERTISING.

THE Xenia Gazette and Republican  
will maintain a staff of clerks ever  
ready to perform services and  
render advice on all kinds of advertising.

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REGULAR INSCRIPTIONS WILL BE CHARGED  
FOR THE NUMBER OF DAYS. NO AD-  
VERTISEMENTS WILL BE TAKEN FOR LESS  
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Dressmaking, Millinery.

9 Beauty Culture.

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WE TAKE THIS MEANS OF  
THANKING—our neighbors,  
friends and donors of flowers;  
Dr. St. John, Dr. Nichols,  
and Mr. Whittier for his  
kind services, in the bereave-  
ment of our wife and mother,  
Mrs. Esther Warwick—Woolie  
Warwick and family.

PERSONAL 6

WILL BOARD—a limited number  
of dogs during vacation and  
weekends. Rates reasonable.  
Mrs. Harry Hilliard, Route 6,  
Union Road, Phone 552-R-2.

LOST AND FOUND 7

LOST—Raccoon for neck be-  
tween Bijou Theater and Candy  
Kitchen, Saturday evening.—Call  
552-R and receive reward.

FOUND—THE PLACE—to get the  
tiniest dogs, from one half pound  
to twelve pounds. Price \$5.00 to  
\$10.00—Also a good dog—  
Mrs. H. L. Hilliard, Route 6,  
Union Road, Phone 552-R-2.

LOST—STRAYED, OR STOLEN—a  
week ago, small brown dog,  
Spotted black and white, short  
tail.—Call 163-W or 422 N. West  
St. Reward.

CLEANING, PRESSING LAUN-  
DRYING 8

XENIA HAND LAUNDRY—“Best  
hand laundry in town.” We call  
for and deliver.  
126 S. Detroit St. Phone 1033.

HATS OF ALL KINDS—cleaned  
and reshaped. Tan shoes dyed  
black—AMERICAN SHOE SHINE  
PARLOR, 10 N. Detroit St.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES 11

TUNING  
Uprights, Grand and Player  
Pianos  
Expert Repairing.  
J. E. KOHL, Phone 677-W.

HEMSTITCHING—The Vogue Em-  
broidery Shop, 19 S. Detroit St.

CHIROPPODIST—Mrs. T. H. Har-  
rison, 841 E. Second St. 1119-W.

ELECTRICIANS, WIRING 13

ELECTRIC SERVICE—starter,  
generator and magnetos service.

Xenia Storage Battery Co.

118 W. Market St.

REPAIRING, REFINISHING 16

FURNITURE REPAIRING—  
and refinishing of all kinds.

We can make your shabby fur-  
niture look like new.

Fred Graham,  
Whiteman St. Phone 3.

HELP WANTED—MALE 18

MEN—WANTED—The Miami Fer-  
tilizer Co., Trebeina, Ohio.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE 19

EXPERIENCED WAITRESS—Call  
at Interurban Restaurant.

HELP WANTED—AGENTS,  
SALESMEN 21

SALESMEN WANTED—to sell oil  
in 50-30-15 gallon drums to  
farmers, merchants etc on 50  
day credit. East Coast and Midwest.  
Year round work booking orders  
for at once or future shipment.  
Auto required. State age. In-  
terurban at Columbus next week.  
—Atlas Oil General Offices,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

MORSES, CATTLE, HOGS 26

7 SPRING PIGS—for sale—See R.  
E. Bryson, Springfield Pike.

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE 28

HAY—baler and engine, combined,  
\$100.00.—Jno. Harbine, Allen Blg.

## Not Possible To Classify

By Mack Sauer

### POTATOES AND EGGS

Of good menus there are hundreds  
But we tire of this and that,  
Often does the sweet aroma  
Of fried chicken knock us flat.  
When my wife comes with a painful,  
Worried look up her brow,  
Then I know she's come to ask me  
What I'd like to have for chow.

When we tire of beans and bacon,  
Sauerkraut and oyster stew,  
When we want no more of chicken,  
And we wonder what to do,  
When my wifey frets and worries,  
And a hint from me she begs  
On just what to have for dinner—  
I say “Let's have spuds and eggs.”

When fried onions tempt no longer.  
When we're tired of eating hash,  
When for liver, steak and onions  
All our taste has gone to smash,  
“Tis a joy to keep from starving.  
And a swell of gladness noos  
As we listen to the sizzling  
While we're frying eggs and spuds.

When the dusk of evening gathers  
And the darkness fills the stairs,  
When I trudge home from my toiling,  
Usually I'm saying prayers—  
Praying that when called to supper,  
When I'm shaved and in my duds  
I'll find something on the menu  
Other than fried eggs and spuds.

BAI! BA! BLACK SHEEP!  
Said an old black sheep  
To Farmer Doroma,  
“I didn't raise my boy  
To be a diploma.”

### MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE 28

### BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES 46

ONE OF THE BEST—money makers,  
best located and best priced  
business in Xenia. 3 to \$5,000.00  
net yearly income. Good reasons  
for selling.—Grieve & Harness,  
17 Cincinnati Ave., Phone 144.

BRING IN THAT OLD IRON—We  
will give you \$1.00 for it, if you  
trade it in on a new one.—Elli-  
man & Miller, W. Main St.,  
Phone 652-R-1.

CHATTEL—loans. Notes bought back  
mortgages. Jno. Harbine, Allen Bldg.

TIRE, TUBES, BATTERIES 50

SPECIAL CLEANER—for walls and  
woodwork.—O. W. Everhart, 118  
E. Main, Phone 626.

CELERI PLANTS—Easy Blanching  
and Golden Self Blanching and  
Giant Pascal. Strong trans-  
planted plants. Also late can-  
ning and other vegetable and  
flower plants.—O. Douglas Cor.,  
Washington and Monroe, Phone 549-W.

PARTS, SERVICE, REPAIR-  
ING 51

FORD: BUMPERS—Complete set,  
practically new, \$10.00—Xenia  
Vulcanizing Co., E. Main St.

USED CARS FOR SALE 54

2 TON NASH TRUCK—  
Xenia Paige-Jewett Co.,  
32 W. Main St.

LANG'S USED CARS  
1921 Ford sedan.  
1923 Ford 1/2 ton truck.  
Lang Chevrolet Co., Greene St.

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Phone 4025-F-2.

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1924 Star touring.  
1925 Star touring.  
2 cheap Fords.

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109 W. Main St., Phone 1133.

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cars and bodies—Xenia Sal-  
vage Co., S. Collier St. at Penn.  
R. R.

1920 Ford coupe, like new.  
1920 Ford closed car, cheap.

1923 Ford Fordor sedan.  
1917 Buick touring.  
1924 Ford touring.  
1925 Ford touring.

Terms to responsible buyers.  
Xenia Garage Co., S. Detroit St.

AUCTION SALES 56

AUCTION SALE—Household furni-  
ture, Sat. July 10 at 1 o'clock.  
Baby buggy, baby beds, bed-  
steads, dressers, buffet, chiffonier,  
rockers, tables, stands, etc.

R. Grieve, Auction, H. E. Rutan,  
206 Hill St., Xenia.

ROOMS FOR RENT, UNFUR-  
NISHED 36

FOR RENT—6 room and bath, 17  
W. Third St.—Call 891-W or see  
Martin Schmidt.

HOUSES, FLATS, UNFURNISH-  
ED 37

MODERN FIVE ROOM APART-  
MENT—completely furnished, with  
modern electric, soft water,  
large front and back porch.  
Phone 132-R.

MODERN 6 room house, either  
furnished or unfurnished.—Call 643-R.

6 ROOM HOUSE—with bath, elec-  
tricity, gas and furnace. Two  
kinds of water. Hardwood floor.  
Inquire at 446 S. Columbus St.

MISCELLANEOUS FOR RENT 40

PASTURE—with water for rent.—  
John Harbine, Jr., Allen Blg.

HOUSES FOR SALE 42

WE HAVE FOR SALE—a splendid  
6 room, part modern home on  
terms, \$300 cash, balance \$20 per  
month.—See Grieve & Harness,  
Allen Blg.

MODERN HOME—703 North King  
St., Xenia.

MODERN 7 ROOM—brick house at  
310 Dayton St. Two lots on  
Xenia Ave., two acres on Winters  
St.—Inquire 310 Dayton St., Yellow Springs.

HOUSES 606 W. MAIN—\$300 down  
payment, \$15 W. Second, \$2-  
900.—John Harbine, Allen Blg.

F.EMS FOR SALE 45

5 PER CENT MONEY—on farms.  
After seeing the rest, compare  
with the best.—Geo. H. Smith,  
34½ Greene St.

# MODERN BALL GAMES SURVIVAL OF RELIGIOUS RITUALS, SAID

LONDON, July 6—Modern sports, particularly games played with a ball, are a survival of religious rituals, according to Professor G. Elliot Smith, professor of anatomy in the University of London.

"The particular forms games have assumed," he said, "are the result of historical circumstances. The earliest games that had any staying power and have survived into modern times were not simply sports but the most serious and sacred occupations of primitive men. Like the drama they formed part of religious ceremonies that aimed at life-giving."

Professor Smith said that ball games, as old as civilization and possibly as man himself, he attributed man's most distinctive attributes to his skill of hand and eye.

The natural impulse of the human child to play with a stick and ball is prompted by an instinct as irresistible as that which impels the lion's kitten to acquire by play the skill that is so vital to its existence," he explained.

"The earliest European reference to games that were the ancestors of hockey and stoolball (cricket) are found in an Irish epic, probably written early in the seventeenth century. But many centuries earlier games akin to these were played in the East. In his description of London during the twelfth century, Flitzeberger says that at Shrovetide schoolboys devoted the morning to cockfights under the control of their masters, while in the afternoon all the young men of the city engaged in football, various schools and crafts opposing each other. In 1409 a proclamation was issued in London forbidding the levy of money for 'footballe' and 'cockthredding' or cockfighting.

"Tug-of-war was a type of ritual conflict to promote the welfare of the gods and the prosperity of the community that was observed more than thirty centuries ago in the East. At one time ball games used to be played in churches at Easter. They are supposed to represent survivals of the ritual dramatic performances and sacred games to promote abundant crops. The general prosperity of the whole community was believed to depend upon the results of these ritual contests. They were originally the sport of kings and success in play was regarded as a token of noble birth.

"In London, however, as early as the beginning of the Middle Ages, they had already lost their mystical significance and had become no more than games for the whole community. In the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries stoolball was a common Easter game. School girls and boys played it for tansy cakes and kisses. It was played, according to Aubrey, with a staff, commonly made of wattle, about three and a half feet long, and a ball stuffed very hard with quills and covered with soot leather. Strutt describes it as a variety game more commonly known as goff or bandy ball, the pagana of the Romans, who also stuffed the ball with feathers. This is generally regarded as the earliest form of cricket.

"There is abundant evidence to prove that the ball games that we now regard as manly sports are the survivals, much modified in their rules and associations, of ceremonies that originally were devised for the welfare of the king, upon whom the prosperity of his kingdom was wholly dependent. The original ritual was primarily a dramatic representation of the conflict between the king's followers and his enemies to establish his dominion.

"It has been claimed by E. K. Chambers that the ball is nothing else than the head of the sacrificial animal, and that the game

is the endeavor of each player to get it into his possession, or, if sides are taken, to get it over a particular boundary."

"These serious religious objects were responsible for establishing the hold of games upon the interest of the people or rather gave them an excuse to practice and appreciate skill and enterprise which appeal to the instinctive love of play inherent in all mankind."

"With the extension of Christianity the time arrived when these relics of pagan practices were frowned upon and discouraged, until eventually a wiser attitude obtained recognition and there emerged a true sport free from all religious restrictions, one that encourages the many qualities and promotes friendly rivalry and good fellowship."

## PLAYS TO FEATURE CHAUTAUQUA HERE TO START THURSDAY

Headlining the Redpath Chautauqua program, opening in Xenia Thursday afternoon, are two effectively contrasted plays—one a serious drama, Channing Pollock's "The Fool," and the other a palatable comedy, in three acts, "Applesance," written by Barry Conner.

Probably no play in the last two or three years has had the unique back ground and the high praise of critics as has "The Fool."

The unconventional theme of the piece was unappreciated by producers for some time and its presentation met with astounding success. The play gets its title from the appellation of derision—the fool—which the world “casts on the central figure in the play, a young minister in a New York church for his teachings. The play has been witnessed by more than five million people, and has been the subject of storm and story.

To present "The Fool," the Chautauqua management is bringing to Xenia the largest play cast that has ever been used.

Quite in contrast to "The Fool" but as good in the realm of comedy as the former is in the realm of serious drama, is the bubbling comedy, "Applesance." This play had a long run of 300 performances at the La Salle Theater, Chicago, and has been outside of New York and Chicago only since May.

The play has a delightful light love theme and clever lines. "The Fool" will be presented Friday evening and "Applesance" next Tuesday evening. Both plays will be presented by casts brought directly from New York City.

The Chautauqua tent arrived late Tuesday afternoon and is being set up for the opening program Thursday afternoon, which will be offered by Harold Lewis and his Symphony Players, a group of New York musicians.

Mrs. Walter Dean, chairman of the ticket committee, asks all guarantors to turn in their money from ticket sales Wednesday or Thursday.

## ALDINE COMPANY TO PUBLISH BALLOTS

Contract for printing of 10,000 Republican, 4,000 Democratic and 14,000 state amendment ballots for the August 10 primary election in Greene County, was awarded to The Aldine Publishing Co., at a meeting of the board of elections Tuesday night.

Bid of Eckerle Printing Co. was the only other submitted to the board.

The state amendment upon which supporters of both parties will cast votes in reference to a levy for condemning land for public improvements.

Five withdrawals of candidates for the Republican County Central Committee were also accepted by the board. Withdrawals are those of George Swartz, J. H. Havestick and Jesse Anderson from Xenia first ward; W. B. Corry from Miami Twp., and J. F. Gordon, Jamestown.

## FIVE BEST RADIO FEATURES

CINCINNATI 5, St. Louis 2, (11 in-  
nings). Chicago 3-2, Pittsburgh 0-3.  
Brooklyn-Boston, rain.  
Others not scheduled.

GAMES TODAY  
Cincinnati at St. Louis.  
Philadelphia at Pittsburgh.  
Brooklyn at Boston.  
No others scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE  
Won. Lost. Pct.  
New York 50 26 .658  
Chicago 44 36 .550  
Philadelphia 42 35 .545  
CLEVELAND 41 38 .519  
Washington 38 36 .514  
Detroit 38 40 .487  
St. Louis 34 44 .436  
Boston 21 53 .392

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS  
Chicago 8, Cleveland 0.  
St. Louis 5, Detroit 2.  
Philadelphia-Boston, wet grounds.  
Others not scheduled.

GAMES TODAY  
Boston at Philadelphia.  
No others scheduled.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION  
Won. Lost. Pct.  
Louisville 55 25 .688  
Chicago 49 30 .620  
Indianapolis 45 33 .577  
Kansas City 42 39 .519  
St. Paul 39 41 .488  
TOLEDO 36 40 .474  
Minneapolis 35 43 .449  
COLUMBUS 14 64 .379

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS  
Louisville 11, Columbus 3.  
St. Paul 6, Kansas City 5.  
Minneapolis 4, Milwaukee 3.  
Toledo-Indianapolis, rain in sec-  
ond inning.

GAMES TODAY  
Toledo at Indianapolis.  
Columbus at Louisville.  
Kansas City at St. Paul.  
Minneapolis at Milwaukee.

## On The Air From Cincinnati

Station WSAI:  
6:45—Chime concert.  
7—New York music.  
7:30—Saxophone octette.  
11:15—String quartet.  
Station WKRC:  
6—Orchestra  
8—Book review  
8:15—Orchestra.  
9—Quartet.  
12—Popular songs.  
12:30—Orchestra.  
Station WLW:  
7—Orchestra  
7:30—Farmer's talk  
7:40—Concert  
8—Concert band.  
11—Elk syncopators.

## CEDARVILLE

Miss Alice McCartney became the bride of Mr. Marvin Bortz, athletic coach at Cedarville College next year. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McCartney, Park Place, Springfield, O., Wednesday at 1:30 p. m. The bride and groom left some time during the afternoon by motor for a trip East.

Rev. and Mrs. LeClere Markle returned home last week after their honeymoon at the Lakes and spent a few days with the parents of Mrs. Markle, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Davis. They left the latter part of the week for their new home in Gettysburg, O.

Misses Ruth Burns, Eleanor Johnson and Lucille Ritenour left last week for Chautauqua, N. Y., where they will spend the summer.

Mr. Herbert Whittington, agent at the Pennsylvania station, with his family returned home last week after a trip to New Orleans, El Paso, Texas and Kansas City.

Mrs. W. L. Clemens was hostess to the members of the Wednesday afternoon Club last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McMillan and little son have returned home from Cleveland where they have been visiting relatives.

Mrs. Leland Johnson and children, of Cincinnati, have been visiting with her grandmother, Mrs. Lucy McClellan for several days.

Mrs. Fred Dobbins and Mrs. Bert Turner have issued invitations to a large number of their lady friends to a reception given at the home of Mrs. Dobbins, Friday afternoon at 2 p. m. honoring their sister, Mrs. Raymond Bull, who is a recent bride.

Miss Ruth Marshall accompanied Miss B. F. Stevens and daughters to their home in Pleasant Ridge, Cincinnati, for a few days visit.

The Hagar Straw Board and Paper Company will close down the plant just as soon as the steel arrives for the new roof that is to be put on. The roof will be of steel construction with the best materials for durability. Most of the employees will have employment during the time repairs are to be made.

John Davis left last Thursday for Kingman, O., where he enters upon his duties as Hughes-Smithe Instructor in the centralized school there.

Mrs. Harry Waddle and son, Merle, of Columbus, are visiting with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Tarbox.

Rev. W. W. Condon, of Urichville, O., was the recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Watt.

Prof. John A. Talcott will again head the department of music at Cedarville College this coming year. This will be Mr. Talcott's fourth year with the college. He will take the directorship of music at Antioch College next year.

Dr. W. R. McChesney gave a patriotic address Sunday afternoon at Piqua at a union meeting of the churches in that city. 30,000 people attended the open air meeting.

Dr. Leo Anderson left by motor Saturday for Martinsville, Ind., where he was joined by his wife who will return home with him. Mrs. Anderson has been at Martinsville where she has been taking treatment at the Whiting Sanitarium.

Rev. W. P. Harriman addressed the members of the Xenia Rotary Club at the Elks' Club at noon luncheon on Tuesday. He spoke on the "The Spirit of America."

Miss Wilma Spencer leaves Wednesday for an extended trip through Canada and the east. While away she will visit Montreal, Toronto, Boston, New York City and the Sesqui-Centennial at Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith have for their guests, Mr. and Mrs.

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## LEGISLATION FOR TRACTION COMPANY EXPECTED TO PASS

Unless an eleventh hour hitch occurs, a development that is unexpected, the ordinance now on its first reading, granting the Dayton, Springfield and Xenia Southern Railway Co., twenty-year renewal of its city franchise, is scheduled for passage by City Commission on Thursday night.

The dispute between the city and traction people over the financial end of reconstructing the discarded city street car route was adjusted satisfactorily at a recent joint conference with Federal Judge Smith Hickenlooper in Dayton. The car company agreed to meet demands of the commission.

There is now no obstacle in the way of passage of the franchise measure Thursday.

Ordinance will become effective in thirty days from date of passage and rebuilding of S. Detroit St., between the rails on the company's right-of-way will then begin. Pavement work will probably be completed early this fall.

## POSTPONE QUOT CLUB OPENING

Formal opening of the Xenia Quoit Club grounds on E. Market St., has been postponed for two weeks in order to get the grounds in first class condition for the entertainment planned, according to an announcement Tuesday.

Date of the opening was originally tentatively set for Wednesday night, June 7.

An entertaining opening is being outlined by officers of the club. A Dayton team will probably appear for a match and in addition the committee has arranged for a lawn fete and a band concert by the Greene County Community band.

## ANNOUNCE EXAM FOR POSTAL POSITION

United States Civil Service Commission announces an open competitive examination for the positions of clerk and carrier at the Xenia Postoffice will be held at the federal building this city, soon, the date to be announced later.

Final date of submitting applications is August 11, 1926.

Application blanks and further information on the examination may be had by addressing the local postoffice. Examination is open to both men and women.

## YELLOW SPRINGS

The Daily Vacation Bible School which has been in session in the Presbyterian Church for the past five weeks closed Friday with a special program and exhibition of the work that has been done during this time. Much credit is due Mrs. William Hardman, who was in charge of the school assisted by Sunday School workers from the Presbyterian and Methodist Churches.

A program of aesthetic dancing and pantomimes will be given Friday at 8:00 p. m. at the Yellow

Springs Opera House for the benefit of the public library. Miss Dorothy Hartnett, of Springfield, will have charge of the program assisted by local talent.

Camp Knolls of the Y. W. C. A. opened Wednesday for the summer. The camp is located on the Grinnell Road, about two miles from Yellow Springs. Several of the young girls from town are enjoying an outing at the camp.

Dr. and Mrs. L. R. Gibbs and children, Robert and Catherine, are spending the summer in Winthrop, Mass. During their absence Mr. and Mrs. Stewart L. Tatum, of Springfield, are occupying their home in the lawn.

Dr. A. W. Vickers, of Madison, Georgia, and his daughter, Mrs. H. P. Mallory and little son, Pierce, of Orlando, Florida, spent a few days the past week with Miss Irene Hawes. The trip was made by automobile. They left for their home Sunday.

Friends and relatives of Mrs. Joe Carper (nee Miss Zella Allen) met at her home Wednesday noon and served a covered dish dinner.

After the dinner was over the guests presented Mrs. Carper with a number of beautiful and useful gifts. There were about thirty present.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Grove and daughters, Misses Helen and Margaret, of Marlow, Alabama, who have been visiting Mrs. T. W. Neff left Tuesday for a trip through the East.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Reinwald and little son, of Springfield, spent the week-end with Mrs. Reinwald's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Currie.

Miss Florence Pfleum, of Dayton, spent Sunday and Monday with the Misses Oster.

Miss Clara Hirst is visiting relatives in Boston, Mass.

Madden Ralston, of Dayton, spent the week-end with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. O. C. Ralston. Mrs. Walter Mergeson and little daughter, Jean, of Chicago, are the guests of her mother, Mrs. J. H. Funderburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Smith and children, of Charleston, West Va., motored here Saturday to spend the 4th with Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Ralph Figgins.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Howell are spending two weeks at Ocean Beach.

Mrs. Martha Sutton, of Dayton, spent Friday with Mrs. Norah Fry and Miss Edith Fry.

## JUICE OF LEMON WHITENS THE SKIN

The only harmless way to bleach the skin white is to mix the juice of two lemons with three ounces of Orchard White, which any druggist will supply for a few cents. Shake well in a bottle, and you have a whole quarter-pint of the most wonderful skin whitener, softener and beautifier.

Massage this sweetly fragrant lemon bleach into the face, neck, arms and manus. It can not irritate. Famous stage beauties use it to bring that clear, youthful skin and rosy-white complexion; also as a freckle, sunburn and tan bleach. You must mix this remarkable lotion yourself. It can not be bought ready to use because it acts best immediately after it is prepared.

—Adv.



## July Clearance Sale Of Pillow Cases & Sheets

### HEM STITCHED

50c Value, 42x36 in. Cases. Special	45c
60c Value, 42x36 in. Cases. Special	55c
\$1.75 Value, 63x90 in. Sheets. Special	\$1.59
\$2.00 Value, 81x90 in. Sheets. Special	\$1.79
\$2.25 Value, 81x99 in. Sheets. Special	\$1.95
40c Value, 42x36 in. Belhaven P. H. Cases. Special	33c
50c Value, 42x36 in. Belhaven H. S. Cases. Special	39c
25c Value, 42x36 in. Bleached Cases. Special, 2 for	43c
25c Value, 42x36 in. Unbleached Cases. Special, 2 for	43c
36 or 40 in. Tubing, Special	33c
42 or 45 in. Tubing, Special	39c
\$1.25 Porch Pillows, Cretonne Covered	95c
59c Porch Pillows, Cretonne Covered	49c

## Shoe Department

### JULY SALE OF SUMMER FOOT WEAR

Positively no exchanges or approvals. About 350 pair of the season's best styles, of course the sizes are badly broken, but your size may be here. They are worth trying for at this price.

**\$3.95**

This lot is as follows: 30 pairs of tans, values up to \$7.50. The styles are one strap pumps, two strap pumps, eden ties and a few oxfords.

The remaining broken lots will go on sale at \$4.95 regardless of their former price. This lot consists of Patent One Straps, Patent Two Straps, Patent Pumps, Satin Pumps in High and Low Heels, and all of our Blonde and Gray Kid Pumps and One Straps. In fact, you can almost take your choice of any shoe in our entire stock with the exception of a few staple numbers at

**\$4.95**

A number of Children's and Misses' Shoes on tables at less than cost.

Jobe Brothers

# JOBES JULY CLEARANCE SALE

## Our 37th Annual Summer Clearance Sale

You will find Special Prices on our regular stock of merchandise. No goods bought especially for this Sale. Absolutely no Seconds or Irregulars. Same policy of satisfaction guarantee as usual. At these reduced prices all goods will be sold for cash—NO CHARGES.

No change in service, goods delivered, telephone orders sent C. O. D.

**Sale Starts Thursday Morning July 8th. at 8:15 and continues until 9 P. M. Saturday July 17th.**

### JULY SALE OF HOSIERY

65c Silk and Fibre Hose in all wanted shades	49c
\$1.00 Silk and Rayon-Puncture Proof—Our promise of full satisfaction or a new pair. Special	89c
\$1.50 Full Fashioned Pure Thread Silk—Wayne Knit No. 793	\$1.29
\$2.00 Full Fashioned Pure Thread Silk—Wayne Knit No. 700	\$1.69
\$2.50 No. 300 That Heavy Silk Full Fashioned Gordon Hose	\$1.95

### CHIFFON SILK HOSE

\$1.50 Wayne Knit No. No. 798 Full Fashioned	\$1.29
\$2.00 Gordon No. 515 Full Fashioned	\$1.69

You buy Chiffon Silk Hose at your own risk.

### CHILDREN'S HOSE

Children's White Hose. Sizes 8 to 9 1/2.

To clear up

Children's Socks. Sizes 6 to 7 1/2. 35c values.

3 pair for

Children's Socks. Half Price. 25c values. 2 pair for

Fancy Shirred Ribbon Garters. July Special, pair

39c

39c